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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—A good female cook to go to Kokstah. Apply room No 2 Clarence Hotel between 11 and 2 o'clock. my30-3t

WANTED—A good general servant. Apply at 50 Superior street. m30

WANTED—To rent a small furnished house in eligible portion of the city for the summer and fall. About 5 or 6 rooms, within easy distance of Post office. Address J. P. Tompkins Manor House Vancouver. my29-1w

WANTED—A residence. Will rent or buy. If the latter will pay money down, but price must be reasonable. No fancy terms will be considered. No hurry about possession. Address "Judge" Times office. All communications strictly confidential. my28-tf

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TO RENT.—Rooms to rent, pleasantly situated on Beacon Hill, 20 minutes from Post Office. Board if required. Address L. H, the Times Office. m31-1w.

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TO LET—Several large rooms. Apply 103 Government street. ap30-tf

TO LET—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 125 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

TO LET—New four roomed house to let and furniture for sale. Furniture in use only four months. Ira Fenton, No. 2 Churchway. j18

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Lease of 2000 acres sheep range and cattle with good house and barns. Apply Van Volkenburgh, Victoria. jun2-tf

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FOR SALE—Clinker built boat 18 feet keel. Built in China of hard wood and copper fastened. Apply to Dan McIntosh, James Bay Bridge. my28-2w

FOR SALE—5 acres all under cultivation, on water main, $1000, 1 cash. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—House and 11 lots, water front, Victoria West, $9000. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

FOR SALE—2 lots corner South Turner and Niagara streets, $1200. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. may22

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LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—On Thursday morning a gentleman's scarf pin, pearls, in the neighborhood of the Driard. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. my29-1w

$50.00 REWARD—I will give $50.00 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who last Saturday night stole my roses. Mrs. E. A. Woods, Fort street. my29-2w

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PETER HANSEN CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. ja18

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Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; E. C. Kellogg, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug22-1y

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. 1y8 B. A. BROWN, Secretary.

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DOMINION LODGE, No. [illegible] I. O. O. F., meets at the hall, Douglas street, every Thursday evening. Thursday, 5th, Third Degree. JAMES AULD, N.G.

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Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 5 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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REMOVED—White Labor Employment Office to 94 Yates street, where all kinds of help can be obtained at short notice. Also, Fruits, Candies, Cigars, etc.
m3-1m BINGHAM & REYNARD.

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Novelties in garden sprinklers just received at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

Aspinall's Enamel for renovating and beautifying everything (150 colors). No house should be without it. 50 cts. per tin. Adderley, 115 Government St. *

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Elocution and the culture of the voice. Frederic Adderley, Professor of Elocution (prize medalist, 1882) gives lessons in the above. Amateurs coached. For terms address 115 Government St. *

Ice Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161, New England Bakery, Young Bros., No. 116 and 118 Government street. *

The ladies of Victoria will find it to their interest to examine my stock of white linen before purchasing elsewhere. Stamping done. Mrs. Hendry, 87 View street. *

The newest and most fashionable stock of millinery, jackets, mantles, jerseys, etc., etc. Stevens & Jenkins, 111 Douglas street. Good dressmakers wanted. *

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

A CODE OF HONOR AS EXEMPLIFIED IN AMERICA.

The Russian Railway to the Pacific Ocean—Americans Who Propose to Build It—The Czar Reported to be Favorable but the English Smile at the Idea.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The Chronicle this morning commenting on the dispatch from Ottawa, stating that in view of the large amount of smuggling along the frontier from Montana and North Dakota and the quantity of timber being stolen from the forests of Manitoba, the Canadian government has ordered the whole frontier line from the Rocky Mountains east to Manitoba to be patrolled by the Mounted Police of whom 800 will be detailed and these patrols will also prevent the Canadian Indians from crossing into the United States on horse stealing expeditions, says: "This will be a pretty expensive force for Canada to maintain and when the winter comes it will be next to impossible for them to do their duty. Possibly the maintaince of this frontier patrol may operate to hasten a union of Canada with the United States. Canadians ought to be able in a short time to see the supreme folly of keeping a little army of mounted men on the frontier, when by the simplest of all methods the frontier might be obliterated and both countries be under one flag and one government."

A Large Iceberg.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The steamer Miudso which arrived to-day from Hull reports that on May 27th in latitude 50, 28 she passed an iceberg 170 high and about 150 feet long. This berg is in a lower latitude than any heretofore reported. It is south of what is given by hydrographic officers as a safe steamer route on the last pilot chart. An idea of how far south the ice in the north Atlantic extends can be glanced by considering that this great mass of ice was in about the latitude of New York.

Refused to Pardon Him.

HELENA, Mont., June 2.—The board of pardons has refused to endorse Governor Tool's pardon for John A. Rowland. Rowland, who is of a distinguished Quebec family came to Butte six years ago. In April, 1888, while engaged in a drunken quarrel in a saloon with a barkeeper he fired at him and killed Joseph Bussiere a bystander. Rowland was tried convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Sir John A. Macdonald of Quebec and Sir Julian Pauncefote the British minister have been active in securing pardon for him and Secretary Blaine asked for the pardon as an act of international courtesy. The press and citizens of Butte vigorously opposed this because it was a most brutal murder. It is said the case will be carried to President Harrison.

The Last Sad Rites.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The funerals of Mrs. Bryan O'Connor, Martin Kelly and the Kearns sisters, all victims of the railroad accident at Oakland on Friday last, took place this morning and were largely attended.

A Light Sentence.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—A. S. Mendoza, the young barber convicted of manslaughter for killing his wife for leaving him to lead a dissolute life, was this morning sentenced to eight years in the state prison at hard labor.

Fire in a Tenement.

ST. LOUIS, June 2.—Shortly after 2 o'clock this morning a fire started in the second floor of a building at 1623 Franklyn avenue, occupied as a tenement by several families. Geo. Wolf and family had rooms in the front part of the building and Chas. Hause and family occupied rear apartments. The flames gained such headway when discovered that it was with great difficulty that the firemen succeeded in rescuing any of the inmates. The aged father of Wolf was suffocated by smoke. Mrs. Wolf and her two small children were seriously burned, but will recover. Mrs. Charles Hause and her 7-year old son were frightfully burned and their recovery are doubtful. The fire is supposed to have originated in a paint shop on the first floor. Loss, $10,000.

A Sad Accident.

GLOBE, Ariz., June 2.—A distressing accident happened at Wheatfields, twelve miles north of Globe, shortly after noon resulting in the death of Jerry Ryan, sheriff of Gila county, and Miss Mary Frush yesterday. They were members of a picnicing party from Globe. Miss Frush and Addison Simmons went boating on Wheatfield lake in a frail craft which capsized. Sheriff Ryan and Willis Middleton went to the rescue, and Ryan reached Miss Frush but got entangled in the weeds and both were drowned. Middleton tried hard to save them but was himself pulled under and reached the shore exhausted. Simmons clung to the boat until rescued. The bodies were recovered after being in the water half an hour and were brought to Globe. Ryan is the third sheriff of Gila county to meet his death while in office.

THE CODE OF HONOR

Exemplified and Practically Illustrated by Two Gentlemen in Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 2.—At 10:45 last night, the St. Louis cemetery, dark and gloomy, was the scene of the [illegible] long years. The parties to the affair of honor were Thomas Overby, advertising agent, who has been here only a few months, and Charles Sanders, a travelling man from an Evansville clothing house. Sanders is engaged to be married to Miss Emma Sellar, a handsome young lady of Evansville, who is now visiting this city. Upon coming to see the young lady, Sanders discovered Overby had supplanted him in her affections. A quarrel, followed by a fight in which Sanders was worsted. The men afterwards met at the Alexander Hotel and resumed the difficulty, and finally decided to settle the affair according to the code. Overby, represented by Frank Luttrel, a young man who lives in Indianapolis while a travelling man from Cincinnati named Harvey Tho[illegible] acted second for Sanders. Accompanied by a medical student named James White, who acted as surgeon, and a reporter of the Courier-Journal, the party secured a carriage and drove to the St. Louis cemetery in the suburbs. The principals took their positions armed with 32 calibre Smith & Weston revolvers, twenty paces apart. It was too dark to see the men plainly except at close distance but they both displayed great coolness. The seconds took their respective positions. After arranging that, the firing should begin when count one, two, three; as the last number was called by the physician who did the counting, a blaze of fire flashed from the muzzles of both the pistols. Before one could see whether or not either of the men was wounded four more reports rang out and Sanders staggered up to a tombstone near him and supported himself. Dr. White hastily examined him and found one bullet penetrated his right breast near the top of his shoulder while another had made a slight flesh wound in his left arm. He had fired two shots while Overby fired 3. The man's wounds were dressed as quickly as possible and he was placed in the carriage and taken to New Albany, Ind., where he took the first train for his home in Evansville. The other participants in the affair all left the city. Sanders wounds are not considered dangerous.

TRANS-ASIATIC RAILWAY.

American Capitalists Interesting Themselves in a Siberian Railway.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The World's cable from St. Petersburg says: General Butterfield has been in St. Petersburg for some days. He is acting as the representative of a syndicate of American capitalists who wish to enter into negotiations with the Russian government in regard to the building of a great Siberian railroad, from European Russia to the Pacific Ocean. General Butterfield has had several interviews with Gen. Annenkoff, the builder of the trans-Asiatic road, which now runs beyond Merv, and though the press and officials are opposed to the idea of a road being built by foreign capital, the Czar himself is said to be favorable to it. Annenkoff is soon to visit Paris, and it is said that he will also come to the United States on a mission connected with the projected railroad. English newspapers are at present engaged in pooh-poohing the scheme, but there is no doubt but that if a railroad is once built across from the Urals to the Pacific, the development and prosperity of Siberia and Northern and Central Asia will be immensely advanced.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

H. Fry, jr., of Duncan, is in town.

A. D. McElmeu, of Nanaimo, is at the Clarence.

S. A. Spencer, of Alert Bay, came down on the Sardonyx.

R. McIver is now chief engineer of the steamer Yosemite.

W. P. Sayward has gone up north on a timber hunting expedition.

E. V. Bodwell and F. Evans returned last evening from Vancouver.

D. Cartmel and W. A. Russell were passengers from Vancouver last evening.

F. W. Teague, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., left for the east this morning on a visit to his home.

Geo. E. Barrett, who for some time has been connected with Pennock & Clayton of this city, leaves for 'Frisco by to-morrow's boat.

J. A. Ahern, formerly in the employ of the telephone company here, is in the city on a brief visit. He is at present employed on a contract putting up wires for the Vancouver street railway company.

Baby Farming.

The details given in an article published in the last number of the Contemporary Review on the subject of "Baby Farming" in England are shocking in the extreme. The writer is a clergyman and a prominent member of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. "The student of heathen history," he says, "may fairly challenge Christians, as all Englishmen are called, to find amongst its horrors anything done to children which finds a parallel to the Baby Farm." The Hindoo mother sometimes lays her child on the bank of a river to be devoured by crocodiles; but that is a merciful death compared with the death through disease induced by neglect and filth, which is the fate of thousands of English-born children, some of them the offspring of people highly placed in society, who can afford to pay high prices to have them thus taken off. It is the old story of crime leading to crime, and one set of criminals calling another set into existence. The author of the article calls for legislation to regulate the baby farms and prevent the abominations that are perpetrated in them. We doubt the efficacy of legislation for such a purpose. If doctors and coroners can be hoodwinked; or if professional men can be got to give certificates of death without making the proper enquiries as to antecedent circumstances, how are these [illegible] lation? The articles we are referring to should, however, come home to the consciences, however feeble they may be, of those who have brought children into the world only to consign them to the most horrible of living graves. To think that for the gratification of illicit passion human beings, perhaps, tenderly brought up themselves, should be willing to assume the burden of such a crime as this, making murderers of themselves in the most horrible sense! The subject is a very painful one; but painful subjects must sometimes be touched upon, if only by way of solemn warning.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

A FAMILY POISONED BY EATING WILD ROOTS.

One of the Number Dead and the Others in a Terrible Condition—Emory, the Murderer to be Hanged on the 30th of June—The Hands of Justice Full.

Special to the TIMES.]

OTTAWA, June 2.—News has been received from a small village, Lake George, about forty miles down the Ottawa River, of a whole family named Campeau being poisoned. A boy aged nine was found dead in bed and alongside of him two little sisters in a dying condition. Their aged grandfather and mother were found on the floor in a desperate condition. The latest information records only one death, but it is impossible for all the others to recover, notwithstanding that medical aid was as speedily as possible secured. The old man was engaged in digging up some roots in the bush which he was going to use for medicine. The family partook of some of the roots from which they were poisoned.

It is learned at the Justice Department to-day that in the case of Peter Ewin Davis who killed a man named Emory near Belleville and who was too intimate with Emory's wife and who was convicted of murder will be hanged on 30th June. His case was inquired into by the executive and it has been decided to let the law take its course. At present there are four cases in the hands of the Justice Department.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

A bicycle club is to be organized at New Westminster.

Bush fires are raging between Nanaimo and Departure Bay.

The assizes open at Kamloops to-day, Mr. Justice Walkem presiding.

The temperance societies are talking of a union picnic for the 4th of July.

The machinery for the Victoria flour mills is to be placed in position at once.

A second lodge of the Loyal Orange Association has been formed in Vancouver.

The C. P. R. telegraph office at Nanaimo has been removed into the centre of the town.

The Rev. Mr. Milligan of Toronto preached in St. Andrew's church last evening to a large congregation.

Among the freight that is awaiting shipment for the north are twelve sewing machines for different places.

Good music was supplied at Saturday evening's performance at the Victoria Theatre by the Non-Union orchestra.

Redmond, the aeronaut who travelled with McMahon's circus, has been killed by a fall from his balloon while exhibiting at Snohomish.

The Sunday School children of the First Presbyterian Church will hold their annual picnic at Langford Plains on the 1st of July.

The stone for the new Methodist church is being brought from the E. & N. Railway quarry, about a mile this side of Nanaimo River.

A branch of the Young Men's Institute is to be formed at Vancouver shortly, several gentlemen there being desirous of having an Institute.

The many friends of Mrs. J. H. Gray will hear with regret that that lady is lying dangerously ill in San Francisco with la grippe, for over a fortnight.

Every subscriber to "The Dominion Illustrated," Canada's pictorial weekly, is insured for $500 in case of death by accident. Yearly subscription $4. 1w

The funnels of the power house of the Victoria Illuminating Company are now protected by spark arresters, and the danger to surrounding roofs is now minimized.

A little four-year old girl of Vancouver, named Nellie Currie, was burned to death on Saturday by her clothes catching fire from a burning stump, in a vacant lot.

An unfortunate, who was found on the streets drunk at an early hour this morning, was taken to the police cells, where she is sobering up to be ready for trial to-morrow.

There is a rumor to the effect that No. 1 Battery, B. C. B. G. A. of New Westminster will come down to Victoria on the Saturday preceding July 1st and remain under canvass with the Victoria corps until July 2nd.

A letter addressed to "Any Good Officer, Victoria, B. C.," has been handed to Supt. Sheppard by the postal authorities. The communication is from an eastern town and contains a notice of $50.00 reward for the arrest of a burglar.

Messrs. Bishop & Sherbourne, contractors, have removed from their old quarters, Government street, to a new and commodious building on Courtenay street. The firm have at present several large contracts on hand, and are busy at work.

A man by the name of Daniel Geddy died at the Jubilee Hospital this morning. He was a native of the United States, a cook by occupation. He died at the age of 60. He suffered from pneumonia and had only been in the [illegible]

The Albion Iron Works have at present got five new steamers in hand, besides three old ones which are up for repairs. This, besides the other work in hand keeps the company busy both day and night at present and prospects are that they will be kept going for some time to come.

To make his already comfortable and attractive hotel, the Grand Pacific, Johnson St., more so, Mr. James Daley has purchased direct from Samuel May & Co., Toronto, Ont., one of their newest improved Brilliant Novelty 4½ x 9 slit pool and carom billiard tables. He expects to have it ready for playing by to-night.

Patrons of comedy agree with the Colonist that the presentation of floral tributes generally spoils a scene, and they should be presented at the end of the act. But suppose the lady to whom the tribute is to be presented is not on at the end of the act, as was the case in Pygmalion and Galatea, what then? The only alternative is to spoil a scene or let the presentation go. Of two evils choose the least.

A CORRUPT GOVERNMENT.

TO THE EDITOR:—Has not the Government suppressed the word corrupt from the Colonist's dictionary? Is not a government corrupt, that refuses a permit to earn a living to an orphan girl of Victoria city and grants it to a man who is a "foreigner;" that takes away a person's character without evidence, without trial, and behind his back; that produces a doctored telegram as evidence; that has an Attorney-General who (the Colonist stated) made false statements on the floor of the House; that prevents children under six years of age in Wellington from going to school (actually ordering them out), and permitting them to attend in West Victoria; that has a Minister of Education who puts his name to a letter containing false statements; that in an arbitrary way deprives children from getting an education (for instance summarily closing N. Gabriola and English schools, and allowing Cowichan, Sooke, Tolmie, Golden, Spencer Bridge, etc., to remain open though under the average); that dispenses the school funds in an arbitrary manner, for instance, giving $80 and a free house per month to S. Saanich with an average attendance of 34, and to Port Moody with 56 and to Ladner's Landing with 88, on $55 each per month, and to East Wellington with an average of 42 only $50 though entitled to $100 per month at the same rate. The people would like to know if politics has nothing to do with these things what it is that has? WATERMAN.

SINGLE TAX.

TO THE EDITOR:—I have read your report of the public meeting held at the Victoria Theatre last Friday evening. It appears that a resolution was unanimously carried that all the electors pledge themselves to Henry George's scheme of taxation to raise all the revenue by a tax upon land. The amount of the tax upon land as explained by Mr. Jackson, who moved the resolution is to be "the current rate of interest upon its full value." That is to say, if the land a man owns is worth $10,000 and the rate of interest is 8 per cent, he is to pay $800 per year taxes and those who do not own land but have their life's savings otherwise invested whether in mortgage, bank or railway shares or in anything else, are to escape taxation altogether.

You state that the meeting "was attended by hundreds of thinking men of the Province." In my opinion their assent to Mr. Jackson's resolution reflect on their sense of justice and on their intelligence.

My case will serve as an illustration of the iniquitous character of the proposed single tax theory. Because of the natural beauty of Victoria and its delightful climate, which, without disrespect to Messrs. Jackson, West and others, have given a value to its land greatly in excess of their labor—in fact, nature, and not Messrs. Jackson, West and Company, have had all to do with it. I have come here to reside. I have paid $12,500 for land which I have laid out in ornamental grounds, and have expended over $26,000 on a residence, the building of which has given employment to mechanics and others. You will see I have in this way been a benefit to the workingman and deserve fair treatment, but what Mr. West proposes is most unfair. I who brought money into the city and expended it to the advantage of mechanics and others, am to be taxed $1,000 per annum, and Mr. West, who brought only himself, and who has done nothing worth mentioning to build up Victoria, is not to be taxed at all, but is to have the benefit of government without contributing to the cost of it.

Messrs. Jackson, West and others waxed eloquent about what the single tax would do to build up the city. The effect of this threatened impost in my case, and doubtless in many others also, is this: I had made arrangements to the extent of $100,000 to buy land and erect buildings for rental, but owing to the countenance given at the public meeting to the proposal to impose the whole of taxation upon real estate, I have decided to let my capital remain where it now is, where taxation is equitable and where a scheme for the practical confiscation of property is not found. Yours truly,

A RESIDENT.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

Miss Jennie Oakes, and Morgan, the champion bicycle riders, are quartered near the Driving Park, and are in active training for the races next Saturday. The track is being put into good shape, and a hot race between Mr. Morgan and T. Shaw's horse Dart may be expected. Miss Oakes will race one of Mr. Campbell's horses the same day. A mile race between two local amateur wheelmen, Messrs. Jeans and Jones, will also be an attraction that day, as will several horse races.

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A DINNER TABLE TALK.

MR. SCRIBBLE INSTRUCTED ON GREAT QUESTIONS.

A Discussion on Railways and Free Trade—The Man on the Left Gives His Views on Corporal Punishment, Solomons Injunction, and ex-Cathedra Criticisms.

"You seem to feel strongly in this matter," said Mr. Scribble.

"Most assuredly I do," replied the party on the left. "Such clauses as section nine of the School Act, which has for its animus the acquisition of autocratic power; such clauses as the Royalty clause to the Railway Act, which except under the most favorable circumstances, precludes the floating of mining stock on the markets of the world; such Acts as the Mineral Act, which paralyses prospecting before it has begun; such Acts as these which afford a curious combination of greed of power, of cupidity, and of ignorance, inspire in me a sense of disappointment and of disgust which I cannot, nor am disposed to conceal. The general trend of our legislation, where in instances it is not necessary to reverse it by an Order-in-Council, is to make the rich richer and the poor poorer. No thought is given, apparently, to the interests of any save those of class.

"Take care," cried Mr. Scribble, "or I shall put you down as a Georgeist or a Nationalist, or some sort of a faddist, opposed to existing institutions."

"You would do me a grave injustice to so rate me," protested the party on the left. "Our institutions are as good as institutions can be. Institutions originating in the people are good enough. Institutions in advance of public sentiment have no practical value. We cannot appreciate a thing until we first have been educated up to it. Hence, I hold that our institutions are good enough. But when it comes about that these institutions are prostituted to base uses, are turned and twisted out of all shape, are perverted to the exclusive benefit of the few, shall I be deemed factious if I criticise with severity, or a faddist if I declare myself in favor of changes which will curb the selfish designs of unscrupulous men?"

"Most assuredly not," assented Mr. Scribble.

"Mammon," continued the party on the left, "is the deity to whom everybody bows down. Life has become an unseemly scramble for lucre, in which the rights of the weaker are remorselessly trodden under foot. Is it any wonder that murmurs are heard on every side? And may we not surmise that unless our leading men call a halt that the hungry mob will rend our institutions into fragments before our eyes? Our institutions, administered in the spirit they were conceived, give every man a chance. The man who fails in life may attribute it to some inherent defect of his own. But as I have just said, our institutions are not so administered, and our civilization can make up its mind that whatever misfortunes await it are the direct consequence of its not having been true to itself. How do we treat each other? In our business transactions do moral considerations have place? Conceive a band of hungry dogs fighting for the possession of a bone, and you have a pretty correct picture of society as at present constituted."

"There is a deal of truth in what you say," assented Mr. Scribbler. "In fact, I guess it is all true. The savagery and absence of moral perception which you argue, can have but one result—the disintegration of existing institutions. I listened to a suggestive confession coming not long ago from a politician. He assumed that governments should not undertake to build railways on account of the jobbery consequent. Here we have the implication that virtue is the exception instead of the rule. What an encouraging prospect for democracy! Such a confession although not so intended, stamps us, despite our spired churches and professions of sanctity, as a gang of bandits."

"I prefer," remarked the party to the left, "to regard men more often the victims of circumstances than of a deliberate intention to make their way in the world by unfair methods. Perhaps I should say, though, instead of circumstances, that men are the victims of their ignorance, that is, they do not fully realise the force of example. If a man fully realized that sharp practice was contagious, that the evil act of one man successfully consummated permeated society as water does a sponge, inducing a dozen emulators, they would be more careful. No man with an iota of conscience likes to feel that he has been the cause of the spread of a disreputable practice. When men fully appreciate the fact that they are more responsible to society than to themselves for their actions, they will be more careful, and herein have I hope of a happier condition of things. However, we are in deep water, let us go ashore. You spoke of railways a moment ago?"

"Yes," said Mr. Scribble, "You hope with the assistance of railways to develope the latent resources of the Province?"

"Precisely," said the party to the left. "The Government hopes with the aid of railways to overcome business inertia incident to our circumscribed trade conditions. The Government does not perceive that it is the want of free trade that is killing us. They do not or wont see that we cannot get up an inter-provincial trade. They cannot understand that if we must purchase our necessities from abroad we must also sell abroad. Important as it is that we should be able to sell more than we consume, and that we can only do that by trading with foreign parts, the fact is disregarded and the energies of [illegible] the simulation of business activities among ourselves, which is a sort of borrow of Peter to pay Paul arrangement. Imagine you and I owning a tract of land, both tracts producing identically the same articles, trying to get up trade between us. I have to sell what you have to sell, neither has what the other wants. We are obliged to purchase certain necessities of foreigners. Suppose then, mutually exasperated at our inability to supply each other's wants, we go to work and clap a tax on every article we buy of foreigners, thus increasing their cost? Would we not be out of pocket by this operation?"

"It looks that way," said Mr. Scribble.

"Well," replied the party on the left, "that is exactly what British Columbia is doing. Of the products we have to sell we have more than we want, while of the things we want we have not enough, and so for spite (I don't know what else to call it, certainly it is not business) we clap a tax on everything we buy."

"But you do that to encourage the production of what you want," interposed Mr. Scribble.

"But," retorted the party on the left, "the country does not produce what we want."

"In such a case then," assented Mr. Scribble, "a self-imposed tax on necessities is a simple case of cutting off the nose to spite the face."

"Exactly," said the party on the left.

"You hold then," continued Mr. Scribble, "that inasmuch as the country cannot produce what the people want railways are superfluous."

"I do not wish to be understood as saying that railways are superfluous," said the party on the left, "but I wish to make it clear as my belief that railways will not prove of marked benefit until we have free trade."

"But you cannot have free trade," cried Mr. Scribble, "the United States won't reciprocate."

"Is that any sign that we should tax ourselves for everything we buy in the United States?"

"It is not a paying operation, I confess," said Mr. Scribble.

"No, I should say not," added the party on the left.

"But what would you do in the matter," inquired Mr. Scribble.

"What would I do," repeated the party on the left. "Why, I would do this: I would establish a free trade policy in conjunction with a railway policy. I would throw the whole influence of the Government with the free traders. I would make free trade a part of provincial policy and British Columbia at Ottawa would be represented only by men who would oppose solidly "National Policy." Our mossbacks, who are now gravitating about the country prating of their railway policy and the benefits it will bring, are just expending so much wind. This Province can never be truly prosperous until free trade is established."

"See here," put in the Judge at this juncture, "you folks have discussed free trade long enough. The absorbing question of the moment is corporal punishment, moral suasion vs. birch, or more literally speaking, the raw hide. You will do me a favor, gentlemen, to discuss that subject with the eloquence that you have free trade. I am opposed to corporal punishment, of course. It is shameful to break down the magnanimous spirit of a sullen youth who refuses to conform to saintary descipline. Let his proud spirit soar whithersoever it will. Order, we know, is heavens first law, but that makes no difference. Self restraint is old fogeyish; constraint is tyranny; give adolescence a chance if he hangs for it."

The School Mistress glanced at the Judge with an injured air, but the Law Clerk nudged her assuringly.

"He's all right," whispered the limb of the law.

"Some little distance intervenes," remarked the party on the left," between the present and the reign of Solomon, but bearing his Proverbs in mind, and their applicability to the foibles and the idiosyncrasys of the human animal we can scarcely disregard his injunction, spare the rod and spoil the child.

"They are revising Calvinism," suggested the Law Clerk, "why not revise Solomon?"

"Solomon spoke ex-Cathedra," said the party on the left, "while Calvin spoke out of the depths of an asceticism which made heaven itself repulsive.

If we believe Holy Writ Solomon was inspired, we have no authority that Calvin was. Solomon's Proverbs are as apposite to-day as when they were uttered; Calvin's doctrine never touched a sympathetic chord in the human heart. The man who could say that it was better to live in the corner of a house-top than with a brawling woman in a wide house, certainly can be trusted as authority in the management of children. Human nature has not materially changed in 4,000 years. I am a firm believer in Evolution. The effects of evolution are only appreciable after the lapse of periods reckoned in the geological sense and so we cannot safely assume that we differ essentially from 4000 years ago. What was good moral law 4,000 years ago is still good. The most superficial survey of the situation, in fact, shows that we are imitators only. Moral science was as far advanced then as it is now. Besides, Solomon's injunction does not imply that a child should be thrashed on general principles. We are to infer from it that the rod is the court of last resort. Having exhausted moral suasion we are then to use the rod to enforce obedience. Discipline must be maintained. Moral suasion is good so far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. There are some natures to which reason is applied in vain. They recognize no law but force. Repeal the law against bigamy, theft and murder, and bigamists and thieves would multiply, and the knife and the pistol would be used to settle the most trifling dispute. If men cannot be controlled by moral suasion, how may we expect to manage a willful unreasoning youth? Moral suasion is a fad. Vegetable diet suits some people admirably, but there are few people who pretend that it is good for everybody. Just so with moral suasion. Some people are so susceptible that reason suffices to keep them within the straight but narrow path. More people, however, must be *made* to follow the path of rectitude; nature has made them constitutionally incapable of appreciating the force of argument. It is the most natural thing in the world, however, that parents should object to having somebody else thrash their children into obedience. I can conceive myself [illegible] done in my family I should prefer to do it myself. Where there are no blood ties exasperation against a culprit is liable to degenerate into undue severity. I take it that nobody is fit to use the rod who is not essentially humanitarian in their nature. John L. Sullivan, I imagine, would be a dangerous person to be intrusted with the power of corporal punishment, and yet by virtue of his conceded savagery he would be a bold scholar who would venture to cross him. The chances are that if Mr. Sullivan should teach school he would have little occasion to use the rod. The prestige of his name would be quite sufficient to over-awe his pupils into subjection. Yes, sir, the rod must continue in public schools. If ministers of the gospel are unable to control themselves, quibble over the difference between "yours respectfully" and "yours truly," pursue a defenceless woman remorselessly on the strength of very indifferent testimony, if ministers of the gospel have no more control over themselves than that it may be assumed for surety that the time has not yet come when the swish of the rawhide shall no longer be heard in the public schools. But by what authority is the rawhide used in public schools? If it is the law that law should be repealed. What is the difference between the knout and a rawhide? I had as soon be castigated by the former as the latter. It is the law that is brutal in this case, not the teacher. Why did not the reverend critic call for the abolition of the rawhide, animadvert with all his power against a school regulation which permitted the use of the rawhide."

"Yes, why did he not?" interjected the Judge.

"That would have been a reflection on the Government," said the School Mistress.

"Reflection or not on the Government," replied the Judge, "a school regulation which permits the use of a rawhide is a legitimate subject of criticism. It is about time that private individuals were excused from the responsibility of the defects of our school system. The modification of the daily marking system "cost one teacher his head, and it is evident that an effort is on foot to effect reform in the matter of rawhides by the decapitation of another.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Part of Subdivision, Lot 5 and another part (2 acres) of Section XXXII Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above lands will be issued to George Thomson on the 10th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 12th April, 1890. ap12-2m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 23 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall register the above lot in the name of Robert Purvis McLennan and Edward John McFeely as owners, in fee, as tenants in common, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 29th day of March 1890, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shewn to the contrary in writing within three months from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office
Victoria, 2nd April, 1890. apr2-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Section 20 Range VIII, Quamichan District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to a portion of the above mentioned section will be issued to Henry Fry, junior, on the 18th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in such portion of said section or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 16th April 1890. ap16-2m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 38, 40, 41, 47, 267, 1190 the N. ½ of Lot 25, the easterly ½ of Lot 74, and parts of Lots 277 and 278 in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued to Walter Scott Chambers on the 9th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 7th May, 1890. my15-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Section 15, Township 5, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, containing 640 acres.

THOMAS MATHEWS.
BYRON HOLMES WEST.
THOMAS McFARLANE GRAHAM.
JAMES PUSEY.

May 15th 1890. my15-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land, commencing at a stake on shore line, about two and a half miles east south east, of Bonilla point, running north 10 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 10 chains; thence following shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

JOSIAH JAQUES.

Victoria, May 19th 1890. my19-2m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THIRTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a highway 33ft. wide from Bridge Crossing Creek near my house to join Mission trail about three miles north and running through the south east corners of lots 262, 188 and 265, this route to be the public trail in lieu of the old one abandoned for some years.

THOMAS ELLIS.

Penticton, May 14, 1890. m14-1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land near Mission Valley Osoyoos division of Yale district, commencing at post, being south west corner of Whaland's purchase claim, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains thence west 40 chains thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement.

ROBERT MUNSON.

May 19th 1890. my20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date I intend applying to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut, fell and carry away timber of a tract of land situated in Coast District, on Vancouver Island and described as follows: Commencing at a stake planted on the east bank of Adam's nearly the north west corner post of Indian reserve thence east 80 chains, following back line of Indian reserve; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES FELL.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1890. m21-4d

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date, we, the undersigned intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease for timbering purposes of the following tract of land in the West Kootenay District. Commencing at a post on the left bank of Fort Shepherd Creek about three miles from its mouth, on the western boundary of the meadow land reserved on behalf of the Kootenay Valleys Company in the Lower Kootenay Valley; thence due west 20 chains; thence south 80 [illegible] chains; thence west 3 miles; thence south [illegible] miles; thence east 3 miles; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the western boundary of the reserved land, thence following south western boundary to the initial point; containing 7680 acres, more or less.

JOSHUA DAVIES.
W. P. SAYWARD.
per C.W.R.

Nelson, B. C., May 13, 1890.
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The prisoners work in gangs, and there are many wardens with loaded rifles surrounding them or in attendance. By good conduct a prisoner gains his reward in working under relaxed supervision, and in being intrusted with horses and carts and the dairy work. The color of the dress denotes the convict ranked according to his behavior. The dress consists of a cap, jacket, loose breeches, stockings and boots, all of the regulation convict material, not to be mistaken anywhere. But it is a curious fact that the lowest class of convicts are dressed precisely in that particular color which is least visible at a distance. Sometimes in a fog convicts have escaped; but of late years escapes have been very rare. In the summer large numbers of convicts can be seen on the farm haymaking or harvesting, and in the winter preparing the land for cultivation. Planting has also been attempted. Trees do not flourish on Dartmoor. But if a particular tree is found by experience to do well, extensive plantations ought to be made of it; for the one thing wanting on Dartmoor Forest is trees. In some situations planting has partially succeeded; but the trees do not look as if they were enjoying themselves in that salubrious clime. The employment of convicts in hard farm labor in the open air is good for them, inasmuch as they, as a rule, do not come from a class that likes hard labor at all; and it may be safely said that three convicts scarcely do the work of one good farm laborer. They can be made to work, but they can not be made to work hard or well.

Besides the farm labor, the labor in the quarry, the stone-cutting and the building, there are carried on within the prison walls shoemaking, tailoring, bookbinding, blacksmith's and carpenter's work, baking and cooking. Some who have found their way inside these walls, and are not strong enough for the farm, or invalids, are put in the tailors' or shoemakers' shops, to make clothes for their fellow-prisoners; others are put to bookbinding; and there is always plenty to do in the way of washing, scrubbing and cleaning in general. As a matter of course, there is a school for the ignorant, a chapel and chaplain of the Church of England, and a Roman Catholic chapel and chaplain. The late Father Green devoted his life to these convicts, and has left behind him a name revered and well beloved.—Saturday Review.

ABOUT WORLD'S FAIRS.

Where the Great International Exhibitions Have Been Located.

The great industrial exhibitions of the world have come to be commonly known as world's fairs. In France they have been held more or less regularly for a century. In Paris they were opened in 1798, 1801, 1802, 1806, 1819, 1823, 1827, 1834, 1839, 1844, 1855, 1867, 1878 and 1889. The idea of an industrial exhibition was popular in Great Britain when it was first suggested and the people became enthusiastic over the project. The first great exhibition was in 1851, when it was held in the Crystal Palace, Sydenham, a suburb of London. The late Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's husband, was among the most active in making the exposition a success. There was another exhibition held there in 1862, and the Crystal Palace has been made famous for these international expositions. The two last international expositions that have attracted to them from abroad more exhibitors and visitors than any previously held were those at Paris in 1878 and 1889. It is stated by the great steam and rail transportation companies that thousands upon thousands of Americans have crossed the Atlantic to visit Paris, the Eiffel Tower and the exposition during 1889. In the year 1853 there was a world's fair held in the United States. New York had built a Crystal Palace. It will be remembered that the Crystal Palace of Great Britain was then in the height of its fame and glory. So New York was not to be behind our European cousins. On July 14, 1853, therefore, the New York Crystal Palace was opened. The building was of glass and iron, and was erected in the form of a Greek cross. Its dimensions were 150 feet wide by 365 feet long. The number of exhibitors from abroad was about 3,000 in all. The exhibition was opened by President Pierce and was continued for four months. It is related that the exposition gave American industries an impetus that was felt for many years. The Crystal Palace of New York was continued for many years as an annual [illegible] in progress, the place took fire and was burned. The Centennial Exposition was held in Philadelphia. New York tried to hold a world's fair in 1883, but it was abandoned.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

While the total wealth of Great Britain and Ireland is set down at $50,000,000,000, that of the United States is computed at $40,000,000,000. But while England pays in taxes $20 per head of population, the United States pays only $[illegible].

CONCERNING LONG LIFE.

Conditions Which Lead to the Attainment of Advanced Age.

Farmers, as usual, make a large proportion, 45 per cent., of our list. Out of 1,000 old men in this country, noted by Dr. C. M. Hammond, 461 were farmers, and "nearly all began life upon the farm." As three-fourths of our population and fully half our workers are on farms this proportion is not as large as it appears on the surface and indicates that the chance of old age is really no greater on the farm than anywhere else. Out of the fifty-nine French centenarians whose occupations were known twenty-two were farmers and eight land-owners, so that in France, while a larger proportion than here sprang from the land, the proportion is still one-third less than the three-fourths of the total inhabitants, which the land bears in France. The most distinguished of French centenarians, M. Chevreuil, who died last year at one hundred and three, had lived in Paris all his life. The world over the chance both of death and of birth seems less in the modern city than in the country. In other words both the birth rate and the death rate are less in cities.

Special habits have little or nothing to do with long life, and it will be found as our list of old men grows that a fair proportion use spirits and tobacco. Early hours are the rule and a dinner in the middle of the day, as well as offspring, but these are so universal in the class from which old men and women come that it is not easy to draw conclusions. The very careful medical inquiry made by Prof. Humphrey showed that a little over the average height and weight—for men 5¼ feet 8¼ inches and 138 pounds, and for women 5 feet 3 inches and 120 pounds—was most favorable to long life. It is a familiar medical dictum that a man is "as old as his arteries," but there is little in such facts as have been gathered to support it.

But the encouraging lesson in all such facts and figures is the proof they offer that the average of human life is lengthening and the years of health, activity and comfort increasing. Old men and women are far more common than they once were. In England, from 1838-54 to 1881-82, the death rate dropped from 22.5 per 1,000 to 19.5, and this stands for an average addition of two years to the lives of men and three years and four months to the lives of women. In this country; which shares this advance, this means that at the end of thirty years 4,000,000 more people, or a state as large as Pennsylvania, will be alive, who under the earlier death rate would have been dead. In Sweden, where a longer comparison is possible, the death rate in 1770-90 was 29.5 per 1,000; in 1880-5 it was 17.5. The death rate in London was once 40 per 1,000; it is now 16, 15, and even 13. The death rate here is far higher—23.5. This enormous addition has changed life after sixty or seventy from the "lean and slippered pantaloon" of Shakespeare to hale, vigorous and hearty years, in which life is enjoyed to the utmost. If the question is often asked what civilization has really done to increase human happiness, we can unhesitatingly point to the green old age which we chronicle this morning—every man and woman proof of an advance we all share in a larger or less degree.—Philadelphia Press.

CHANCE FOR INVENTORS.

Thousands of Old Cannon Waiting to Be Broken Up.

"If the Government could dispose of all its old cannon, which for a century have been accumulating in both the army and navy, it would have a marked effect upon the iron trade of the country," said a Pittsburgh iron man who was stopping at the Grand Pacific. "Did you ever," he continued, "try to estimate how many tons of iron have been put into the old-fashioned ordnance in the past century? Well, it goes up into the millions. The forts and arsenals throughout the country are filled with heavy and obsolete cannon. At every navy yard there are huge 'gun parks' in which are stored all the old guns that once armed all the frigates and line-of-battle ships of early days. In these 'parks,' too, is all the heavy ordnance of the civil war period—something over four thousand pieces, weighing from three to sixteen tons each. Every one of these guns is useless in these days of steel and heavy armor. Now what can the Government do with them? Strange to say, nothing. There they lie, and will lie until doomsday unless some genius will invent some way of breaking them up so that they can be transported to and handled at the furnaces. Think of it, millions of tons of old ordnance lying utterly useless to anybody."

"But why can't they be broken up."

"I don't wonder that a person who has never given the subject any thought should ask that question. It does seem funny, but such is the fact. No way has yet been discovered to break up these guns so that their iron can be made available in the furnace. Some years ago, when Secretary of the Navy Robeson was selling all the navy rubbish he could get his hands on, he made an effort to sell some of the old guns then lying in the Philadelphia yard. A Pittsburgh iron firm thought it would be pretty cheap iron, and as the firm didn't take into consideration the difficulties ahead, it bid and got something like two hundred tons of those old cannon for about half a cent a pound. By the terms of the sale the buyers were to remove the guns at their own expense. They started in to do this first by breaking up the pieces. Alas! heavy sledges, gunpowder, dynamite even could do nothing with them. A few were split [illegible] were in a worse condition than to remove than ever. Wearied and disgusted, and convinced that they had made a bad purchase, the firm at last left the guns to their fate and pocketed the loss. If any body will devise a plan by which this mass of metal can be easily and cheaply broken up and removed to the iron furnaces of the country, he will make a nice thing of it by buying old guns at a quarter of a cent a pound and disposing of them to the iron furnaces."—Chicago Herald.

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LICENSE NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, we intend to apply for the transfer of the license of Connor & Switzer to Switzer & McCluskey to sell liquors by retail at the "Regent Saloon," corner of Douglas and Johnson street.

J. W. SWITZER.
C. B. McCLUSKEY.

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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the "Old Ship Inn," Wharf street, from Chas. B. McCluskey to Felix Leslouis.

my10-1m FELIX LESLOUIS.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, I intend to apply for the transfer of the license of the "Grand Pacific" corner Johnson and Store streets, from J. Boyd to James Daley.

JAMES DALEY.

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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I SHALL apply at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the transfer of the license for selling liquors, held by Chas. Brewster, of the Gordon Hotel, to me.

my22-1m ROSS J. FERGUSON.

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to noon, Monday, June 2nd, 1890 for the purchase of subdivision 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 of lot 1894 block 56, City of Victoria, B. C. Subject to a registered right of way together with the buildings erected thereon. This valuable and advantageously situated property presents itself as one of the best investments yet offered. It is within easy walking distance of the business centre of the city and, as it adjoins Beacon Hill Park, for dwelling sites it can't be surpassed. This property yields a monthly rental of $69. Tenders to be adressed

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JAMES HAY,	W. MCKITTRIE,
GEO. LEDINGHAM,	WM. POWELL,
A. MCGREGOR,	HUGH CALDWELL,
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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER

ISABEL

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On and after November 19th, '89,

Until further notice,

The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows:

CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Leave Victoria for Nanaimo	Tuesday, 7 a.m
" Nanaimo for Comox	Wednesday, 7 a.m
" Comox for Nanaimo	Friday, 7 a.m
" Nanaimo for Victoria	Saturday, 7 a.m

For freight or passage apply on board. oc17

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE No. 11,

Taking effect March 28, 1890.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 4 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

S. S. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves for Alberni Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification.

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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 12.

To take effect at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 1st, 1890.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	DUNCAN'S	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	CHEMAINUS	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	NANAIMO	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	WELLINGTON	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Leave Seattle	[illegible]
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Arrive Victoria	[illegible]
Leave Victoria	[illegible]
Leave Port Townsend	[illegible]
Leave Seattle	[illegible]
Arrive Tacoma	[illegible]

Tacoma-Seattle Route.

Leave Tacoma—[illegible] a.m.; 12:00 m.; 7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—[illegible] a.m.; [illegible] p.m.; [illegible]

Boats leaving Tacoma 11:00 a.m., and Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	[illegible] p.m.	Leave Olympia	[illegible] a.m.
Leave Tacoma	[illegible] p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	[illegible] a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	[illegible] p.m.	Leave Tacoma	[illegible]
Ar. Olympia	[illegible] p.m.	Arrive Seattle	[illegible] p.m.

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Whatcom, Semiahmoo and Blaine Route.

Stopping at all way landings.

Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at [illegible].

Leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday, [illegible] p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily, except Sunday, [illegible].

Steamers from Semiahmoo and Blaine leave Whatcom every Saturday at [illegible]. Returning, leave [illegible] Sunday at 10 a.m. for Whatcom and Seattle.

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WEALTHY PAUPERS.

Anent the Government appropriation for the Nicola sufferers we are in receipt of correspondence from the spot on the subject, but don't care to publish with the names of the recipients of the Government bounty on the unsupported testimony submitted. The correspondence, however, bears intrinsic evidence of truthfulness. Coming on the heels of correspondence on the same subject which the TIMES published last week over the signature "Integritas," we experience no difficulty in accepting the statements as true. Still, there is a chance for error, and as we have no desire to unnecessarily wound the feelings of any person, we must decline to publish names until our authority is absolutely verified. We regret that our correspondent did not fully enough value his communication to produce documentary evidence as we suppose he might have done or at least have procured the endorsement of somebody who was well known to the TIMES. Men worth anywhere from $10,000 to $30,000 are not proper subjects for charity, and men of this kind who will accept Government donations should be given a wide advertising. The transaction shows on the face of it either that the Government sought the opportunity to assist indigent Nicolaites, who were worth thousands of dollars as an electioneering dodge (for Nicola has been disaffected toward the Government for some time) or in dealing out alms, it went about it after its usual blundering fashion. The fact of the matter is, it is a nasty discreditable affair all around, and all the parties concerned ought to be ashamed of themselves. Mr. MARTIN had done well to have held his tongue about the bounty of the Government. He has only involved rich beggars in a most disgraceful scrape.

COTTON DEPRECATES ROBSONIAN MUD.

Our Vancouver contemporary is experiencing the fate which usually overtakes politicians—he is being made a target for Robsonian mud. And our contemporary is not a little surprised, apparently. Courteous himself, he fancied, evidently that when he should dabble in the "filthy pool" he would escape with a few splotches on his pedal extremities. But this bright dream is being dispelled. "Honest JOHN," all forgetful of past favors, has been flinging campaign mud at the newly-fledged politician with a vigor only equalled by the small boy in a garden of over ripe tomatoes. So much for being courteous, brother COTTON. You see that he who is strictly courteous in these degenerate days sometimes casts his pearls before swine. You have given the TIMES many a stab [illegible] more forcible than polite, and now we behold you wiping the Robsonian slime off yourself, shall we say it, with ill-concealed delight. But grin and bear it, old boy. You have got the tyrant in the door. You don't have to stand for two constituencies to insure your election. You don't have to greet your supporters with the threat of resigning in the event of their failing to return the whole gang. Calmly and philosophically, then, wipe the mud off yourself, and when the opportunity offers adopt the Mosaic maxim and toss a little back. Perhaps you think that the chief of the oligarchs has become so used to being pelted that it is not worth while. Don't delude yourself with that belief, however. The Grand Old Redistributer has his vulnerable part, as had ACHILLES, but whether it is on his heel or his head we can't say. We would advise you, though, to go for his head. The Royalty Act, the Mineral Act, and the Constitution Act form a triplicate of blunders which point circumstantially to some defection in the upper story. In the meantime, while you are gathering the mud off yourself and tossing it back at the donor, don't forget THEO. It is true he has hied himself away to Cowichan among the faithful, but then as he does not know the difference between a tax receipt and a bill of sale, (at least he imagines that the Kootenay electors dont) try one long range shot at him, anyhow. But this is nothing. Slinging back mud at these fellows is as blackstrap to honey to the sweet pleasure you will have in addressing "Honest John" when the House meets as the honorable member for Cariboo, formerly of New Westminster, the gentleman who in behalf of a great principle chose to represent 150 electors to a thousand or so. Then will you have revenge, friend COTTON. Then can you say that the "mills of the gods grind slowly but they grind exceedingly fine." Then can you, the representative of a large and progressive constituency, lift up your voice in the Senate house without fear of being overwhelmed by the puny representative of a hundred and fifty silurians. You have the "bulge," dear boy, keep it. Never a better opportunity had any man to uncork the vials of hsi sarcasm on another.

THE CANADIAN NEWSPAPERS VS. RYKERT.

There does not appear to be a newspaper throughout Canada which can say that its soul is its own, that has not scored the hide-bound Tory electorate of Lincoln for returning RYKERT. Says the Globe:

"An independent Conservative candidate took the field. The promise was fair for the redemption of Lincoln from connection with the wretched mercenary who had degraded the constituency and disgraced the country. But a strange and secret and powerful influence put its hand upon the independent Conservative, and he withdrew. One of the local Conservative journals that was most stern and bitter in its condemnation of Mr. RYKERT was silenced, more than silenced; within twenty-four hours it turned from loathing to fawning, and clamored with fierce zeal for Mr. RYKERT'S re-election. "Wholesale bribery was practiced, intimidation in the name of the Government was resorted to, and the enormous canal influence was held solid for RYKERT. It is not possible to escape the conclusion that the influence of the Government was exerted to the utmost to secure RYKERT'S return, that there were facts in Mr. RYKERT'S possession which enabled him to command the secret support of the Government, that it was well understood before he resigned his seat that the Government should aid his re-election. He knew whereof he spoke when he said, 'Why should I be singled out for public censure when there are dozens of members in the same House who not only have applied for and obtained limits for themselves, but sit there daily voting moneys into their own pockets, I cannot understand.'"

The Montreal Witness, discussing the subject in much the same strain, concludes as follows:

"The Conservative electors of Lincoln and the electorate of Haldimand deserve to be disfranchised. These counties have brought disgrace upon Canada as far as they could. Both should be compelled to stay at home in a political sense, and not defile their neighbors with the mire which attaches to them. Both Conservatives and Liberals should make a note of the fact that it is partyism which has degraded the electors of Lincoln to such degree that they apparently glory in their shame."

The Hamilton Spectator remarks:

"We cannot rejoice at the re-election Mr. RYKERT in London. The Conservative electors would have done better to stay at home and allow the Reform candidate to be elected."

The Spectator, however, attempts to justify the result by laying the blame on the Reformers.

"The Conservatives, it says, 'nominated a good man to oppose RYKERT. If the Reformers had simply wished to express their condemnation of RYKERT'S wrongdoing, they could have voted for Mr. PETTIT, and then Mr. RYKERT would have been forever set aside. But seeing two Conservatives in the field, they could not resist the opportunity to try to run their man in between the two. They had nothing to gain except the prestige of victory, and they wanted that mainly for effect in the local election about to come."

This kind of dust-throwing is all very well, but why did Mr. PETTIT withdraw? He did not want to be sacrificed to make a "Grit holiday," explains the Spectator. Mr. PETTIT is evidently a man of extremely fine [illegible] withal it will be difficult to make people believe that there was not jobbery at the bottom of the transaction and that as between an honest Grit and a dishonest Tory the Lincolnites prefer the latter.

We have without exception the finest line of men's suits in the province in fancy tweed and all wool worsteds. Gilmore & McCandless.

HOW THE GLOBE ADVERTISES A BOOK.

J. E. LAXBY is the author of a volume entitled "West Nor West," "a volume," says the Globe, "such as any book maker might write after a run over the whole C. P. R., a volume which, though unlike the toad in being neither ugly nor venomous wears yet a precious jewel in its interior." This jewel is chapter VIII., and its "immortal subject," says the Globe, is NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN, M. P. The following are excerpts, from the Globe's treatment of the subject:

"Here we have his career, his patriotism, his talents, his noble oratory, his fervor for righteousness of all sorts, his culture, his honesty, his courage—all his 'points'—set forth in a manner that will simply madden Col. Herchmer. The Pericles of Regina, with a large and luminous aureole around his classic head, sketched to the life, and his modesty would no doubt suffer from gazing on the fond picture, were he unable to solace himself with the reflection that the world should know something of its greatest men. Alas, that his true proportions are only now revealed to those who inhabit round about the famous 'Pile o' Bones.' 'The greatest city,' says Walt Whitman, 'is that which has the greatest man or woman in it,' and had the Reginese seen Mr. Davin, as he is now disclosed to an admiring universe, they would have been able, on the strength of that dictum, to 'boom' their town as the very biggest on the footstool."

"NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN, M.P. for Western Assiniboia, was born an Irishman" (think of that, old Erin, and exult), "educated as an English barrister, worked as a journalist, and is now, in the ripeness of his experience and manhood, a Canadian statesman. Sometimes he has been called a 'Trimmer' (probably this was when he trimmed Mr. Dewdney and the 'Cabinet of Antiquities'). 'He is a patriot in the truest sense of the word'—and WALPOLE defined "patiot" for all time. "By his legal training Mr. DAVIN has been kept in wisdom's was. * * * He once said, 'I like people I can lean heavy on and know they won't break,'" certainly a wise preference of the distinguished gentleman. "His refined and pleasing manners, ready wit and unerring tact, all dashed with the poetic fervor of the Emerald Isle, are Irish, of course.

In his youth Mr. Davin was "a daring rider," and to this day he will go anywhere, so Mr. Dewdney testifies, with a kyuse and a buckboard. His daring way of witching the world with noble horsemanship "nearly cost him his life," for he was "thrown off and nearly shattered" once on a time, which is the only pick-me-up credited to Mr. Davin in this refreshing history.

In his poem of "Eos, a Prairie Dream," we find him musing on Quebec. Again he muses on the Indian and the printing trade in one grand outburst:

"The Indian's doom should touch your heart. I've seen
Types disappear before. But kindness
On dying races, as on dying men, should wait,"

This poem of "Eos" is sometimes specified to be "An Epic of the Dawn," and sometimes "A Prairie Dream," but anyhow it is "in a sense unique," and, "like the work of all true poets, Mr. Davin's verses embody (are inspired by?) a democratic spirit." In Regina they have four per cent. beer. So endeth the pean of praise "permitted" by the Pericles of the Prairie. Great is Davin, and J. E. Saxby is his prophet—palpably inspired. The book is published by James Nisbet & Co., London, England.

THE CENSUS BUFFER.

If it was not for the the census business the Hon. JOHN ROBSON would be in a fearful plight in the presence of his angry constituents. To ward off the blows of a disgusted constituency, he contents himself with stating "that, should the result of census-taking next year show such a preponderance of population on the Mainland, as I feel confident it will, myself and colleagues stand pledged to obtain such further legislation as shall bring representation more into conformity with population." Now, if the Hon. JOHN ROBSON feels confident that the census next year will show a population for the Mainland which will justify increased representation for that locality, he anticipates for the country a wonderful growth during the next twelve months. But the fact of the matter is, the Premier does not anticipate any such growth. The growth already exists. The tax list and the voters' list afford evidences of Mainland standing which cannot be gainsaid. Why then does the Premier interpose this census buffer? Does he expect that the people will swallow it? The Hon. JOHN ROBSON will be under the sad necessity of representing Cariboo during the next legislative term, unless the electors of Westminster, like those of Lincoln, Ont., are too ignorant or too bigoted to distinguish their right hand from their left.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Kootenay Star declares itself an independent supporter of the Government, believing that through and by the Government the interests of Kootenay will be sufficiently subserved. As an offshoot of the Sentinel, a sheet which is an unqualified supporter of the Government, this is a queer condition of things, although it must be admitted that between slavish support of the Government and an independent support, the difference is not worth mentioning. If, however, there is a difference between a slavish support of the Government and an independent support of the Government, then verily we have a case in which the right hand knoweth not what the left hand doeth, a condition of things so unlikely that Kamloops and Revelstoke people must be enjoying the joke hugely.

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PITH AND POINT.

—Riches sometimes fail to bring popularity. It's not always the man with the fattest roll who sets 'em up the oftenest.—Philadelphia Enquirer.

—The quadrupedal hog isn't as bad as his namesake; no one ever gets the cold shoulder from him until he's dead.—Yonkers Gazette.

—Beware of prejudices; they are like rats, and men's minds are like traps. Prejudices creep in easily, but it is doubtful if they ever get out.

—Leisure is time for doing something useful; the leisure the diligent man will obtain, but the lazy man, never; so that a life of leisure and a life of laziness are two things.—Franklin.

—The doctor who cuts a man open after death and tells what is the matter with him has the advantage of the doctor who is compelled to guess what is the matter with the patient before death.—Atchison Globe.

—The value of what many a man says depends upon what he has said previously. He has earned the right to speak with authority, and people listen to him as one of that character.—United Presbyterian.

—The tendency all around us, and seemingly a growing tendency, is to give as few hours as possible to the requirements of one's calling in life. The outcome is the working of manifold mischief.—Watchman.

—In one of his writings George Washington said that a slender acquaintance with the world must convince every man that actions, not words, are the true criterion of the attachment of friends; and that the most liberal professions of good-will are very far from being the surest marks of it.

—Each one of us is bound to make the little circle in which he lives better and happier; each of us is bound to see that out of that small circle the widest good may flow; each of us may have fixed in his mind the thought that out of a single household may flow influences that shall stimulate the whole commonwealth and the whole civilized world.—Dean Stanley.

—The men who accomplished the most never seem in a hurry, no matter how much they have to do. Every body must have observed that. They are not troubled for lack of time, for they make the most of the minutes by working in a cool, clear, orderly, and methodical fashion, finishing each task properly, and not wasting their nervous force on trifles or expending it in bustle. They never complain of overwork. They are more likely to be hunting up new work to do, in order to give their faculties more varied employment and to exercise some which are not sufficiently used.—N. Y. Ledger.

THE OLDEST MAN.

A South American Methuselah Who Is Nine Score Years of Age.

The oldest man in the world is a citizen of Bogota, in the republic of San Salvador.

This new Methuselah declares that he is 180 years old, and it would seem he flatters himself, for his neighbors give the assurance that he is older than he says he is.

He is a half-breed, named Michael Solis, whose existence was revealed to Dr. Louis Hernandez by one of the oldest planters in the locality, who as a child knew Solis as a centurian.

They have found in the year 1712 his signature among those of persons who contributed to the building of a Franciscan convent which exists near San Sebastien.

His skin is like parchment, his long hair of the whiteness of snow envelops his head like a turban, and his look is so keen that it made a disagreeable impression on the doctor.

Interrogated by the doctor, he answered complaisantly that his great age was due to his regular mode of living and to his never giving up to any excess of any sort whatever.

"I never eat but once a day," said he, "but I never use any but the strongest and most nourishing foods. My meals last a half hour, for I believe it is impossible to eat more in that time than the body can digest in twenty-four hours. I fast the first and fifteenth day of each month, and on those days I drink as much water as I can bear. I always let my food become cold before I touch it. It is to these things that I attribute my great age."—Quebec Union Liberale.

SPEAKER REED'S WIFE.

One of the Most Popular Members of Washington Society.

In color Mrs. Reed is a brunette, in form rather tall and strikingly graceful, with a courteous dignity that makes many friends. She was a Miss Susan Merrill, the daughter of a Congregational minister who moved to Portland, Me., where Mrs. Reed met and married Thomas B. Reed in 1870, he being at that time a State Senator, and shortly afterward Attorney-General of Maine. Their rooms here are in the Shoreham, the big flat-house or hotel owned by Vice-President Morton. Little Miss Katherine Reed, age fourteen, is her mother's constant companion and "chum," the two being warm friends in addition to the nearer relationship, and together entering into many plans for pleasure as well as instruction for the little lady. Well, read, and sometimes called conservative in her opinions, Mrs. Reed is one of the most welcome guests at the brilliant entertainments of Washington winters. The most striking effect produced by Mrs. Reed is that of force and intellectuality. Her dress is always refined and quiet in tone and her ornaments few. Cameos and plain gold bracelets are her favorites, and the sparkle of a [illegible] have when in evening dress. As the wife of the Speaker the calls upon her time are most frequent, and as a descendant of Puritan ancestors she does her duty thoroughly, and as a well-bred woman charmingly. No one claims Mrs. Reed's time or attention without receiving careful and considerate courtesy, to which fact is due in no small degree, perhaps, Mrs. Reed's popularity.—Washington Cor. Philadelphia Times.

LIST OF PROPERTY

On which taxes have been due and unpaid for two years and upwards and which will be sold on the first day of September, 1890, at the City Hall, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon in pursuance of the Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-law, 1890, unless in the meantime the arrears of taxes and costs due in respect of each lot in the schedule hereunder written be paid.

LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
19	12	$576 80	$63 44	$640 24
E. two thirds 24	3	67 20	7 40	74 60
One-half 25	3	89 10	9 80	97 90
W. one-half 26	3	122 80	13 50	136 30
83	3	51 00	5 61	56 61
Part 87	26	70 38	7 73	78 11
145	V	124 08	13 64	137 72
377	4	117 20	12 89	130 09
Part sub. 4 of 618, 619	M	31 00	3 41	34 41
Part sub 8 of 602, 603	M	33 44	3 68	37 12
East part 876	J	27 56	3 03	30 59
East one-half 878	J	37 30	4 10	41 40
940	42	48 60	5 34	53 94
991	9	75 00	8 25	83 25
992	9	36 60	4 03	40 63
993	9	22 20	2 44	24 64
997	17	35 50	3 90	39 40
1007	17	23 40	2 57	25 97
Sub. 13 of 1257	T	46 80	5 15	51 95
Sub. 8 of 1394	56	7 60	84	8 44
Sub 34 of 1694	56	10 50	1 15	11 65
Sub. 4 of 1772	61	27 50	3 03	30 53
WORK ESTATE.				
4	D	21 90	2 41	$24 31
10	W	77 60	8 54	86 14
SPRING RIDGE.				
A	64	6 00	66	6 66
B	64	6 00	66	6 66
7	69 to 72	3 90	43	4 33
8	"	3 90	43	4 33
9	"	3 90	43	4 33
10	"	4 80	53	5 33
11	"	4 80	53	5 33
12	"	6 90	76	7 66
17	"	3 90	43	4 33
18	"	3 90	43	4 33
19	"	3 90	43	4 33
20	"	42 80	[illegible]	[illegible]
42	"	34 80	3 83	38 63
48	73	3 60	40	4 00
51	"	44 90	4 94	49 84
FINLAYSON ESTATE.				
1	B	48 00	5 28	53 28
2	B	25 20	2 77	27 97
5 ACRE LOTS.				
One-half of Sub 23	II	18 98	2 08	21 06
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" 3	"	10 30	1 13	11 43
" 11	"	10 60	1 16	11 76
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City Hall, Victoria, June 2, 1890. CHARLES KENT, Collector.

The Seven Bibles.

The seven bibles of the world are the Koran of the Mohammedans, the Tri Pitikes of the Buddhists, the Five Kings of the Chinese, the Three Vedas of the Hindoos, the Zendavesta and the Scripture of the Christians.

The Koran is the most recent of the five, dating from about the seventh century after Christ. It is a compound of quotations from both the Old and New Testaments and from the Talmud. The Tri Pitikes contain sublime morals and pure aspirations. Their author lived and died in the sixth century before Christ.

The sacred writings of the Chinese are called the Five Kings, the word "kings" meaning web of cloth. From this it is presumed that they were originally written on five rolls of cloth. They contain wise sayings from the sages on the duties of life, but they cannot be traced further back than the eleventh century before our era.

The Vedas are the most ancient books in the language of the Hindoos, but they do not, according to late commentators, antedate the twelfth century before the Christian era.

The Zendavesta of the Persians, next to our Bible, is reckoned among scholars as being the greatest and most learned of the sacred writings. Zoroaster, whose sayings it contains, lived and worked in the twelfth century before Christ; Moses lived and wrote the Pentateuch 1,500 years before the birth of Christ; therefore, that portion of our Bible is at least 300 years older than the most ancient of other sacred writings.

The Eddas, a semi-sacred work of the Scandinavians, was first given to the world in the fourteenth century.—Orange (N. J.) Journal.

The Angle Worm.

There is nothing especially interesting about the angle worm itself. It is the effect it has upon the lives of mankind, and boykind especially, that weaves a halo of interest about this otherwise uninteresting object. There may be different breeds of the angle worm, but those who need them in their business do not examine into the pedigree of those that come to hand first. Any smooth, flat, wiggly worm will do, be it mongrel or thoroughbred.

Why the denizens of the two most unstable elements, air and water, should have an appetite for the humble worm is one of the great mysteries of nature. It is lucky for the worm that it is neither a swimmer nor flyer, and it can also thank its stars, if it has any, that birds and fish cannot handle a spade. If the worm would give up its habit of going to meet the early bird it could pass its life in comparative safety in the depths of its sub-cellar.

The man who discovered that fish liked worms is responsible for considerable juvenile and masculine depravity. Fishing cannot be successfully carried on without the worm. Any old tin can will do to carry the worms in.

It is almost an infallible sign when a boy is seen with a spade and can that he will be missed at school on the morrow, or when a man is seen with the same implements Saturday evening, that he will be missed at church next Sunday. It is not right to dig for angle worms on Sunday.—Texas Siftings.

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NOTICE.

We, the undersigned wholesale merchants, hereby give notice that we will close our respective places of business on and after Saturday, May 31st, at 1 o'clock p. m. Saturdays, and remain closed until Monday morning.

SIMON LEISER, J. H. TODD & SON, THOS. EARLE, (PER A. MAGNESEN,) R. P. RITHET & CO., (PER R. SEABROOK) COWAN & WILSON, LENZ & LEISER, C. STROUSS & CO., PER M. STROUSS) BOUCHERAT & CO., T. B. PEARSON & CO., (PER W. BULMAN) J. PIERCY & CO., ALEX. B. GRAY & CO., RICHARDSON, HEATHORN & JONES, HUDSON'S BAY CO., (PER W. T. LIVOCK) P. MCQUADE & SON, E. B. MARVIN & CO. my27-2w

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. ALAN S. DUMBLETON, Solicitor of Supreme Court of England and British Columbia has been admitted a partner in the firm of Messrs. Walker & Pemberton, Barristers and Solicitors. The firm will on and after the 1st day of July next be carried on under the name of Messrs. Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton. my27-1y1

HAVING THIS DAY DISPOSED OF THE Stock in Trade and Good Will of my business to Messrs. Cowan and Wilson, I take this opportunity of thanking you for the liberal patronage with which you have favored me for many years, and I respectfully ask for a continuance of the same to my successors, whom I can confidently recommend to your favorable consideration. I am assuming all the liabilities and collecting all the debts connected with the late business.

S. J. PITTS.

Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1890. my12

Referring to the above announcement, we respectfully ask for a continuance of the patronage with which you have favored Mr. S. J. Pitts in the past. We assure you that any orders you may entrust us with will receive our prompt and careful attention, and that our aim will be to merit your confidence and support. COWAN & WILSON.

May 12-1m

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Partnership business heretofore carried on by James Angus and Benjamin Gordon, under the name of Angus & Gordon, wholesale and retail grocers, has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time. James Angus retains the book debts and credits of the late firm of Angus & Gordon and assumes all the liabilities [illegible] by Benjamin Gordon at the premises occupied by the late firm.

[Signed.] JAMES ANGUS. B. GORDON.

Victoria, May 1, 1890.

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A BY-LAW

To Further Amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend the Revenue By-Law, 1889;

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria as follows:

By adding after section 10, schedule A of the said by-law the following section: "10a. Every person carrying on the business of a fur trader or fur dealer, $50 for every six months."

By adding after the figures "10" in the next line of said section 10, schedule A, of the said by-law, the words and figures "and 10a," and by striking out the word "and" preceding the said figures "10."

By adding after section 11 of the said schedule A of the said by-law the following sections, "11a," Every proprietor or manager of any theatre for each exhibition $10. "11b," Every express company, gas company, telephone company, electric light company, street railway or tramway company, $50 for every six months. 11c. Every investment and loan society, $50 for every six months.

This by-law may be cited as the "Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council the 14th day of May, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C. m22

MUNICIPAL.

THE ATTENTION OF PARTIES INTERESTED is hereby called to Section 2 of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890," which reads as follows:

"It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to make or construct any drain or sewer to connect with the water way known as Johnson Street Ravine, and all private sewers now connecting with the said ravine shall be within thirty days (30) after the passage of this By-law filled up and obstructed."

Persons having such sewerage connection to their premises are hereby notified to make good and thorough drainage connection forthwith either directly, or by lateral drain, with the Johnson Street Sewer, under the superintendence of the Drainage Committee, as the Board of Aldermen on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Victoria hold themselves free from damage or loss in case any party or parties fail to observe the conditions of the "Johnson Street Sewer By-law 1890."

Any violation of the provisions of the above by-law will be dealt with according to law.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 13, 1890. my14

MUNICIPAL

PERSONS WISHING TO obtain a copy of the Annual Report of His Worship the Mayor upon Corporation matters, for the the year 1889, can obtain same, without charge, upon application at the City Hall.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Hall, May 3, 1890. my5

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON WISHING A copy of the consolidated by-laws of the Corporation of the City of Victoria can obtain the same at the City Hall upon payment of $2.00.

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PHENOMENA OF DREAMS.

The Strange Impressions and Sensations Experienced During Sleep.

It is told of the tyrant Dionysius that one morning one of his intimate friends and boon companions told him that he had dreamed the night before of cutting Dionysius' throat, whereupon Dionysius caused him to be put to death, justifying his act by the assertion that unless the dreamer thought of such a thing in his waking moments he could not have dreamed it when asleep.

But is that theory of dreams tenable or logical? Does a dream, no matter how fantastic or unreal, presuppose a voluntary act of the mind in the same direction? History, observation and experience would seem to show the contrary. There is no one who has not had such dreams as he could not devise in his waking moments, or if he could, would not; for under certain conditions of body and mind we dream of such horrors as would affright us could we conceive of them.

Modern philosophy accepts the theory that the mind is never wholly inactive, and that we always dream when asleep, though we usually forget our dreams. The argument is, that as it is impossible to discharge the mind when awake of all consciousness, or to prevent it from acting, so the mental process goes on while we are sleeping, though the knowledge of its action is not perceptible. The question is one that never can be answered, but inductive reasoning seems to support the position of Sir William Hamilton and others that the only dreamless sleep is the sleep of death.

The phenomena of dreams have been studied in a variety of ways and with as much care and exactness as the subject permits. A French philosopher who took a great interest in the subject of dreams made numerous experiments upon himself to test how far he could determine his dreams at will by operating upon the mind through the senses. With this view he left his knees uncovered, and dreamed that he was traveling at night in a diligence, with a strong impression of cold knees produced by the rigor of the weather. Darwin relates the case of a deaf man who in his dreams seemed to converse by means of his fingers. He never had the impression of hearing speech, for he had never heard it. We must dream of objects with which we are acquainted, but it is the combination or use of such objects, of which we may never have thought, though we may dream of them, as a man may dream of shooting another with a gun or pistol, though nothing could be further from his thoughts when awake.

Tartini, who was a distinguished violin player, is said to have composed his "Devil's Sonata" under the inspiration of a dream; and Coleridge always professed to have composed his poem, "Kubla Khan," in a dream. The instances of difficult problems being solved during sleep are too well attested to be questioned, and cases of other mental labors being completed in dreams are familiar.

And yet, with all the study and observation of dreams, no one has ever yet been able to say what dreams may come. There are so many conditions of mind and body to be taken into account, so many unconsidered trifles which the eager memory has seized and stored away, so many impressions and sensations which have left a trace behind, fleeting though it may have seemed, that it is impossible to say what the action of the mind will be during our sleeping hours. We may go to bed engrossed with a matter of paramount importance, and dream of the most trivial matter imaginable; or we may go to sleep with a light heart and in high spirits and then be crushed and overpowered by dreams of some impending calamity.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Novel Cure for the Grip.

A good many queer cures for influenza were put forward during the epidemic, but none of them equals the remedy described in the following extract from the "Journal and Correspondence of Lord Auckland." The passage was written from Madrid in March, 1789. I do not know whether the coincidence has been noticed before, but the epidemic seems to have been as prevalent throughout Europe at the beginning of 1789 as it was at the end of 1889. "There is a new influenza of colds, accompanied with a degree of sickishness. The cure for the lower people here is to drink large quantities of warm water and to lie down upon the floor, and to prevail upon some friend to walk upon them for half an hour. I have not seen this amiable ceremony, but I am assured that it is literally true, and that half a dozen of my servants have gone through it within a week."—London Times.

The Purpose of a Medical School.

The true purpose of a medical school is not to turn graduates loose upon the world, but it is to educate young men in the science of medicine and fit them to enter upon the practice of their profession. The medical profession differs from the law in this, that whereas young lawyers may safely be permitted to acquire a good deal of their education through practical experience after being admitted to the bar, to do this in the case of young doctors would be to expose people to the risk of all sorts of malpractice. It is a much lighter matter for a man to lose his property through the blunders of a young and inexperienced lawyer than for him to sacrifice his health or lose his life because of the incompetency of some new fledged doctor.—New Or[illegible]

Loud Talking in Public.

In an English theatre, recently, the orchestra between the acts was playing very loudly, and two ladies, in a front row, were endeavoring to converse at the same time. They had to raise their voices considerably, and, as the orchestra suddenly reached a low passage, the voice of one of the ladies became cruelly distinct, just as she remarked: "I wear silk underclothes."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Hanging for Amusement.

Two remarkable examples are on record of persons who allowed themselves to be hung for the entertainment of an audience. An account of one of them is given: The man's real name was John Harnshaw, but he performed throughout England under the high sounding name of M. Gouffe. He was an athlete, and among other feats it was customary with him to exhibit the process of hanging. In this performance he relied for security on the strength of the muscles of the throat and neck alone. He had a rope with a fixed knot that would not slip, and passed both ends of the loop up behind one ear.

The whole act was so adroitly managed that he prevented any pressure of the rope upon the windpipe or the jugular vein, and could even sustain the weight of 120 pounds in addition to that of his own body. On three separate occasions Harnshaw mismanaged the rope and became unconscious, but was, luckily, rescued each time. Dr. Chowne, who writes the account, says truly: It cannot be doubted that as far as sensation and consciousness are concerned Harnshaw passed through the whole ordeal of dying, and had he been permitted to remain hanging until actually dead he would have passed out of existence without further knowledge of his misery. Harnshaw said, not with particular reference to either of the accidents, but in speaking of his performanances collectively, that he could recollect nothing which happened to him after the rope tightened, and that he lost his senses all at once.

The moment the rope got in the wrong place he felt the change, and could not breathe; felt as if he would like to loosen himself, but never thought of using his hands. He experienced the heaviness of legs and arms mentioned by others who have been half hung and then rescued, and the rattling sound in his ears, but never saw sparks of light, which are the usual phenomena.—Philadelphia Times.

A Bright Dog Mendicant.

Everybody in Burlington, N. J., is intimately acquainted with George W. Fireng's dog "Don," a small statured brown and white spaniel, with a slight defect in one eye.

"Don" is one of the worst and most persistent mendicants in the county. Let a customer walk into Fireng's cigar store and the dog is at him quickly unless ordered to his corner back of the stove. Sitting upright on his hind legs, he gently reaches out one paw and taps the customer familiarly.

Most all the men have learned what that means, and few of them fail to respond. A penny is placed in a paper bag and "Don" seizes it between his teeth. The door is opened for him and off he trots to the bakery just above.

His scratch on the door is familiar and he quickly gains entrance. The bag is taken from his mouth, a cake placed within it, and off the dog trots complacently to his corner in the store, where he patiently awaits his master.

A piece of cake is broken off, and "Don" catches it in his mouth like a professional.

"Put your paw on that piece," says the master, as another is broken off.

Down goes the paw on the delicate morsel, and without a sign of impatience it is kept there until the words "all right now" come from the master.

"This piece is poison," says Fireng, as he places another fragment close to the dog's nose; "don't eat it." The animal backs off and eyes it askance till the words "all right" are again given, when he snaps it up greedily. Never has Don opened the bag to get the cake without his master's permission, and never has he attempted to keep cake and penny too.—Philadelphia Record.

Fur That Is Worth Its Weight in Gold.

It is not generally known that some of the most expensive fur producing animals are killed off the coast of the state of Washington, and it is remarkable that the extent of territory where these animals are taken is so extremely limited, being only from Damon's Point, at the northern entrance to Gray's harbor, up the coast to Point Greenville, a distance of about twenty-four miles. The animal referred to is the sea otter, the fur of which is manufactured into the robes of the potentates and princes of the old world.

Unlike that of the seal, the fur of the sea otter requires no plucking of hair or coloring—in fact, the most valuable skins are those which are speckled through with silver tipped hair, which are known as the silver tipped fur, the addition of this hair adding 25 to 50 per cent. to the price of the skin.—Cor. Portland Oregonian.

It Was His Turn for a Ride.

Why, only yesterday afternoon on Pennsylvania avenue the beautiful sight was witnessed of three small boys devoting themselves exclusively to the gratification of a little companion, who was seated in the middle of the street with his feet held as high as possible in the air, while the trio of his friends pulled him cheerfully along by means of ropes attached to his legs, a long trail of dust marking the path pursued by the rider, who was at the same time his own sled. How far this youth's mother might have been disposed to approve of this peculiar method of locomotion it is impossible to say; but, after all, that is not the point.—Washington Star.

Skin of a Big Rattlesnake.

The skin shed by a rattlesnake which was found on the bank of the Illinois river and is now preserved at a boys' seminary at Tahlequah, in the Indian territory, measures 13 feet long, is 14½ inches in circumference and has 15 buttons. The person who has examined, measured and reported upon it says that it is a very dry skin, and therefore assumes that it shrunk considerably in drying, but this is not so, as the skin of a snake is thoroughly dry when shed, and consequently represents the full size of a snake.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

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Corn Meal 10 " "	40	Pie Fruit, Assorted, gallon tins	[illegible]
Sago and Tapioca 17 " "	1 00	Mince Meat, Superior, 5 lb. tins	1 [illegible]
Rice 20 " "	1 00	Sugar, Light Brown, 14 lbs.	1 [illegible]
Peas, Green or Split 18 " "	1 00	Sugar House Drips, per gallon	[illegible]
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Currants (new) 16 " "	1 00	Vinegar, White Wine	[illegible]
Raisins, Valencia (new) 16 " "	1 00	Butter, Creamery 30 cts per lb 3 lbs for	[illegible]
Prunes from 6 to 12 " "	1 00	Ham, Fidelity	[illegible]
Apples, Dried (new) from 6 to 9 " "	1 00	Bacon, 15 cts per lb, or 7 lbs for	1 00
Peaches " " 6 " "	1 00	Coal Oil, Pearl per tin	1 [illegible]
Apricots " " 8 " "	1 00	Tobacco, Smoking, 3 plugs	[illegible]
Peaches, 2 to 4 tins, new	37	Eggs, Island 30 per doz. Imported	[illegible]
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CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

NANAIMO ECHOES.

The Newly Elected Member and Various Items of Interest.

Mr. Thomas Keir, the newly elected member for Nanaimo City, is a native of Belfast, Ireland, about 38 years old. He has been in Canada nearly four years, and has resided both in Montreal and Vancouver. He has strong views on the labor question, and thinks "that a more progressive policy is needed for the development of British Columbia's unbounded resources." His practically trained mind and good common sense views on the present requirements of this country, will, when he gets into Parliament make him a formidable opponent of old fogeyism.

The firm of McBrien & Atkins, real estate dealers here, have dissolved. G. A. McBrien will continue the business both at Nanaimo and Vancouver.

Smith & Yarwood have dissolved partnership. E. M. Yarwood, who is both popular and reliable, continues the law business.

W. B. Dennison has now full control of the C. P. R. agency here, and has been doing a rushing business for the past week. Many of the Wellington strikers are leaving for the old country.

Mr. H. A. Galbraith, who has been here for two or three days looking after the interests of J. & J. Taylor, the well known safe manufacturers, left for Victoria by Saturday's evening train.

Mr. Marcus Wolfe, Miss Ethel Wolfe, and Miss Minnie Mayer leave shortly for a visit to Portland, Oregon, and San Francisco. Bon voyage.

Planta & Harris have recently made several good sales of real estate and speak hopefully of Nanaimo's future.

The general tone of real estate is slightly affected by the unsettled position of matters here, but it is thought that business will brighten up in a very short time again and the indications are favorable.

The new International hotel, owned by Mr. Fred Rowbotham, is being rapidly completed. The well known Mr. Thomas O'Connell, guardian of the peace in Nanaimo will, it is expected, be the proprietor.

Since the new management got possession of the Occidental hotel they have gone into considerable improvements. It is now one of the most comfortable houses in the province. Mr. John Decker is a good hotel man and the situation of the house is excellent.

Richardson & Horner, proprietors of the leading dry goods store on Commercial street are about to commence much needed improvements and extension of their building. They will put in a plate glass front also an addition to the rear for their largely increased dressmaking and millinery business.

Mr. E. McNeill, the live harnessmaker finds it necessary to give himself more room, and has purchased a lot where he will build a commodious shop.

The following has been served on nearly all the tenant miners at Wellington:

Wellington, B. C.

To Mr. .....

I hereby, as agent for Mrs. Joan Olive Dunsmuir, your landlady, and on her behalf give you notice to quit and deliver up possession of the house and premises with the appurtenances situate at Wellington, Vancouver Island, which you hold of her as tenant thereof on the 1st day of July next. Dated the 30th day of May, 1890. Yours, etc.,

JOHN BRYDEN,
Wellington, B. C.

Agent for the above named Mrs. Joan Olive Dunsmuir.

MINERS COMBINING.

They do not Believe the Present Government Know Much.

The following address has been adopted by the Executive Committee of the Miner's Association, and has been forwarded, with a copy of the constitutions and by-laws to the various mining camps of the Province, hoping to enlist a general co-operation in the object they are seeking to accomplish:

To the Miners of B. C.

Recent, as well as former legislation on matters affecting the miners and mining interests of B. C., having demonstrated that our government and representatives do not sufficiently understand the requirements of its mining sections to efficiently protect them against oppressive legislation; to secure their freedom from the present hampering restrictions in the Railway Belt, and to effectively encourage the different mining camps or districts by judicious enactments and needful appropriations, it has become imperative that all interested in mining in the Province should combine for the purpose of effecting a united organization, for the protection of their common interests. By united action our strength would be sufficient to command attention, and our thorough acquaintance with our own needs would entitle us to the respect and consideration in the councils of legislation, which should very materially assist in the promotion of necessary enactments, and which individually we would be powerless to effect.

With this idea in view, we have organized a Miners' Association at Revelstoke, and have adopted the subjoined constitution and by-laws, which we now submit for your consideration, with the earnest hope that the matter will be found sufficiently important to lead to an organization among your miners based on similar principles, and thus you will heartily co-operate with us in the formation of a central organization, embracing all the district associations.

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BOOTS

STACKS OF THEM AT MANSELL'S THE AGENT

95 Government street.

The Louvre.

On Johnson street, is the place to go for a fine glass of beer at 5 cents. A short order lunch counter attached. Open day and night.

Esquimalt Police Court.

J. White, Esquimalt, who the other day broke a Chinaman's leg while trying to stop him from stealing his wood came up before Mr. Fisher, J. P., on Friday and was committed for trial.

Much Needed.

Roland & Smith have purchased a laundry plant with ten horse engine from A. M. Dolph & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, which when in full operation will completely revolutionize the washee washee system we have at present. Mr. R. B. May, a practical man from the laundry department, has charge of putting it in working order.

More Gas.

Amongst the freight that arrived from Vancouver by the Islander last evening was four car loads of gas reservoirs for the Victoria Gas Company. These reservoirs are to be used in the addition at present being put in by the Gas Company to keep up with the increasing population of Victoria.

Rapid Transit.

Freight was received in Victoria on Saturday only fourteen days from New York, it having come over the Northern Pacific. The large amount of eastern Canadian freight shipped over this line shows that merchants are better pleased with it than with the C. P. R. as business in that direction is rapidly increasing. Several instances of Victoria consigned goods being an unreasonably long time in transit have been known, and as better delivery is given by the N. P. preference is given to it.

Taxes in Arrears.

This morning the city officials went around to those pieces of property the owners of which they did not know, and on which taxes have now been paid, and posted up notices to the effect that the land will be sold by auction if the delinquent taxes are not sooner paid. This is the first time since 1881 that city property has been sold on account of back taxes, and the council intend hereafter to do it every year, which will very likely have the effect of making those in arrears "come up."

From the North.

The steamer Sardonyx arrived from the North yesterday morning with several passengers and 33 bales of skins, 476 cases of oil and several tons of miscellaneous freight. The trip was an unusually quiet one, nothing of note happening except while going up one of the side lamps exploded and had it not been for Mate Smith who was standing near by, the dry lumber that was on deck must have caught fire. The mate kicked the burning lamp overboard and smothered the burning oil with a piece of canvas.

News Notes from the North.

The steamer Sardonyx arrived from the North last evening with several passengers and considerable freight.

Purser Munro reports that there is no news of importance. The canneries will not start running before the 15th of the month.

The Standard company have put up a very fine cannery under the superintendence of Mr. Archie McCorvie.

The Sardonyx called at Queen Charlotte Islands on the trip. The Skidegate Oil Company were making a large quantity of oil, dog-fish being very plentiful.

It was reported that a large strike of silver had been made at Bella Coola.

Police Notes.

Three drunks graced the dock this morning. Two of them paid the usual assessment of $5. The third was not sufficiently sober to be dealt with, and being argumentive, was remanded until to-morrow.

A young man, charged with beating his way on the Islander from Vancouver was released, as the prosecutors did not appear, the amount of the fare has also been paid.

The case of Henry Knight, charged with selling liquors without a license, which has been so many times remanded, came up for sentence and the defendant was ordered to pay $50 for a license, and $25 fine, $75 in all, the same to be paid forthwith. The defendant stated that he could not pay the amount, as he had been unfortunate by reason of sickness in his family. He also pleaded that he did not know that the fact of selling the liquor was against the law. He promised to try and raise the money as soon as he could, and time was given him accordingly.

Building Notes.

The painters and plasterers have commenced their part of the work on Saunders' new building.

Contractor Smith is hard at work on the new Colonial Hotel.

The new Angel Hotel is nearly completed.

The walls of Turner's new building on Douglas street are reaching skyward.

The addition to the rice mill and the new flour mill are rapidly beginning to get in shape.

Contractor Haggarty continues to work night and day on the excavations for the Canada Western Hotel.

C. E. Mallette is calling for tenders for plastering his new block on Government street.

The excavations for Lenz & Leiser's new three-story building are about completed.

The sawmills are all running night and day, to keep up to the demand for lumber.

F. Norris will shortly commence putting up a building for the new trunk factory.

Boys' Bingham Suits, $3.75; Russell, McDonald & Co. Boys' Tweed Suits, $2.50; Russell, McDonald & Co. Boys' Tweed or Corduroy Pants made to order, $1; Russell, McDonald & Co. Men's Strong Tweed Suits, from $6 and upwards. Tweed or Corduroy Pants made to order $2. Extra Fine Pants, $4. Boots and Shoes of all kinds in great variety. Russell, McDonald & Co., opposite the iron church, Douglas street.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

You should secure a lot in Fernwood Beautiful, residential property. Enquire of the leading estate agents.

Death of "Cariboo Joe."

Mr. Joseph Matthews, better known among the miners of both Cariboo and California as "Cariboo Joe," died at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday evening. He came to British Columbia in 1859 and for a number of years traversed the country in the search of gold, which was at that time the uppermost object in everybody's mind. Before coming to British Columbia, however, he had made and lost a fortune in California, by locating a good claim and then losing it in a saloon which for a time he ran in San Francisco. Of late years he has been employed by the C. P. R. and the C. P. N. companies, both at Westminster and Victoria. Last winter he was engaged as bartender for a well-known saloon and later he was engaged by Capt. Clarke, until he was forced by illness to go to the hospital, where he has been for nearly two months. He died from the effects of blood-poisoning, caused by a fall. Although Joe was to all appearances gruff, he was always ready to help those that needed it, and when fortune came his way he was generous to a fault.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR.—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath, dull, oppressive headache, offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes, deafness or partial deafness, constant hawking and spitting, weak and watery eyes, a hacking cough and feeling of general debility, ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. daw

Baby carriages of latest styles just received by John Weller, 51 to 53 Fort street.

Baby Buggies, the finest and largest assortment in the city at low prices, from $9.50 up, at J. Sehl's 66 Government street.

Pendray's extract of soap is a wonderful washing powder—away above any thing of the kind in this market. Encourage home industry.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.*

ROYAL HOSPITAL

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS INstitution up to and including the present date, are to be sent to the undersigned not later than Saturday next, the 7th June.

This institution has now been closed, and all business in connection therewith transferred to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital from this date.

J. STUART YATES,
Hon. Sec.

Victoria, 31st May, 1890. my31-1d

PROVINCIAL.

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINT THIS INstitution up to this date, are to be sent in to the undersigned not later than Saturday next, the 7th of June.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Sec. pro tem,

Victoria, B. C., 31st May, 1890. my31

BOARDING HOUSE QUAMICHAN

Will be open to Visitors on and after 10th of May.

House beautifully situated, overlooking Cowichan Bay, within easy reach of Quamichan and Somenos Lakes, and of Cowichan River, which affords excellent fishing.

Three miles from Duncan's Station where trains can be met by conveyance with the Proprietor, Simons Lenthey.

TERMS, Two to Three Dollars per Day. Special Address

TSOUHALLEM, Quamichan, B. C.

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Notice to Plasterers, Painters and Plumbers.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until Saturday, the 31st inst., for plastering and paint work, painting and plumbing necessary in brick building corner Government and Yates streets. Plans and specifications can be seen at the offices of Burnett, Croft and Mallette, Government street. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

my30-6 C. E. MALLETTE.

SEE OUR SPRING STOCK OF SHOES.

Profuse in Novelties. Great in Assortment.

Variegated in Colors. To suit the most fastidious.

Unapproachable in Prices.

☞ UNQUESTIONABLY THE FINEST LINE EVER SHELVED IN A FIRST-CLASS BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

EXAMINE THEM.

H. MANSELL, No. 95 Gov't St.

Remember that every dollar spent with us get the most a dollar can buy.

BOOTS AND SHOES MADE TO ORDER IN EVERY STYLE. REPAIRING ON SHORT NOTICE.

Richardson, Heathorn & Jones

MANUFACTURERS' AND IMPORTERS' AGENTS,

Representing the Following Firms:

WILSON, MATHESON & CO., Glasgow, Scotland.	Manufactures of Umbrellas, Rubber Goods, and a general line of Gent's Furnishing goods. Trunks and Valises a specialty with this house.
STEPHENSON & BEVERAGE, Kirkaldy, Scotland.	Manufacturers of Linoleums and Floor Oil Cloths, also Squares any size or design with borders to match.
THE ROSEMOUNT COMB MFG. CO., Ltd., Aberdeen, Scotland.	Having secured the complete range of this renowned house, we, for the first time place their goods on the Canadian market.
GILBERT LINING MANUFACTUR'G CO. New York.	We carry a complete line of samples from this celebrated maker, including Dressmaker's linings and Tailor's trimmings.

JOHN CRAY & CO., Glasgow and London, Wholesale Confectioners and Preserve Makers.

We have already received a complete range of new fall Neckwear, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, Gloves, etc. Also a consignment of the latest novelties in Jewelry, both solid and plated.

All orders will receive our prompt attention. Our representatives will be out with full samples at an early date, and trust they will be favored with a share of your patronage. Yours respectfully,

RICHARDSON, HEATHORN & JONES,
42 YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

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THE WESTSIDE

Government Street, Victoria.

OPENED THIS DAY,

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Summer Jackets, Wraps & Dusters,

DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS.

All Stylish Goods and Excellent Value.

WANTED, FOR THE DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT, First-class Bodice and Shirt Workers.

J. HUTCHESON & CO.

May 9th, 1890

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. (Incorporated 1890.)

RESIDENTIAL MEDICAL OFFICER.

APPLICATIONS FOR THIS POSITION AT the above Institution will be received up to the 3rd day of June next, at 6 p. m.

All applications are to be made (or written) stating age, number of testimonials, if previously engaged in hospital practice, and must remain open for 14 days after receipt by applicant in each position.

Applications to be marked "Resident Medical Officer," and addressed to the new Board of Directors.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.

Victoria, B. C., 4th May, 1890. my14d

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. (Incorporated 1890.)

NURSES.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION of Superintendent Matron and Nurses, (three under nurses) for the above Institution will be received up to the 3rd day of June next, at 6 p. m.

All applications are to be made (or written) stating age, number of testimonials, if specially trained, where previously engaged, and the amount of remuneration required for each position.

Applications to be marked "Nurses" and addressed to the new Board of Directors to

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.

Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my14d

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. (Incorporated 1890.)

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to noon of the 31st inst. for the supply of the following articles for the above Institution, viz.:

Flour, Oatmeal, Rolled Oats, Cornmeal, Rice, Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Cocoa, Butter, Eggs, Milk, Cheese, Bacon, Hams, Lard, Potatoes, Onions, Beef, Mutton, Veal, Pork, Poultry, Fish, Soap, Starch, Blue, Matches, Coal, Wood, Kindling, Coal Oil, Candles, Brooms, Brushes, Pails, Tubs, Mops, Scrubbing Brushes, Dusters, Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, Tinware, Ironmongery, Stationery, Drugs, Medicines, Surgical Instruments, Bandages, Dressings, Linen, Cotton, Flannel, Blankets, Quilts, Sheets, Towels, Counterpanes, Pillows, Bolsters, Mattresses, Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs, Stoves, Grates, Fenders, Fire Irons, Carpets, Oilcloth, Linoleum, Mats, Curtains, Curtain Poles, Rings, Cords, Tassels, Gas Fittings, Lamps, Globes, Shades, Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, Gas Pipes, Water Pipes, Taps, Valves, Cocks, Lead Pipes, Sinks, Basins, Baths, Water Closets, Traps, Ventilators, Lightning Conductors, Bells, Wires, Cranks, Pulleys, Hooks, Nails, Screws, Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Rivets, Hinges, Locks, Keys, Latches, Bars, Fastenings, Iron, Steel, Brass, Copper, Zinc, Lead, Tin, Sheet Iron, Sheet Zinc, Sheet Lead, Sheet Copper, Wire Netting, Wire Guards, Wire Blinds, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Turpentine, Glass, Putty, Whitening, Paper Hangings, Borders, Whitewash, Brushes, Ladders, Steps, Trestles, Planks, Boards, Scantling, Timber, Shingles, Lime, Cement, Sand, Bricks, Fire Bricks, Fire Clay, Tiles, Flagging, Stone, Gravel, Ashes, Manure, Hay, Straw, Oats, Chaff, Bran, Shorts, Harness, Saddlery, Horse Clothing, Horse Shoes, Nails, Rasps, Files, Hammers, Pincers, Pickaxes, Shovels, Spades, Forks, Rakes, Hoes, Axes, Saws, Hatchets, Knives, Scythes, Sickles, Grindstones, Wheelbarrows, Carts, Harrows, Ploughs, Rollers, Seeds, Trees, Shrubs, Plants, Flowers, Vases, Garden Tools, Hose, Sprinklers, Syringes, Garden Seats, Garden Tables, Garden Chairs, Garden Arches, Garden Trellis, Garden Netting, Garden Stakes, Garden Labels, Garden Mats, Garden Boxes, Garden Pots, Garden Baskets, Garden Gloves, Garden Aprons, Garden Hats, Garden Boots, Garden Shoes, Garden Socks, Garden Stockings, Garden Trousers, Garden Coats, Garden Vests, Garden Shirts, Garden Collars, Garden Ties, Garden Scarves, Garden Handkerchiefs, Garden Umbrellas, Garden Parasols, Garden Fans, Garden Watches, Garden Clocks, Garden Jewellery, Garden Rings, Garden Brooches, Garden Pins, Garden Studs, Garden Buttons, Garden Chains, Garden Lockets, Garden Bracelets, Garden Necklaces, Garden Earrings, Garden Pendants, Garden Crosses, Garden Medals, Garden Coins, Garden Stamps, Garden Envelopes, Garden Paper, Garden Pens, Garden Pencils, Garden Ink, Garden Erasers, Garden Rulers, Garden Compasses, Garden Protractors, Garden Scales, Garden Weights, Garden Measures, Garden Thermometers, Garden Barometers, Garden Hygrometers, Garden Rain Gauges, Garden Anemometers, Garden Sundials, Garden Globes, Garden Maps, Garden Charts, Garden Books, Garden Newspapers, Garden Magazines, Garden Periodicals, Garden Pamphlets, Garden Circulars, Garden Posters, Garden Notices, Garden Advertisements, Garden Boards, Garden Signs, Garden Flags, Garden Banners, Garden Pennants, Garden Streamers, Garden Ribbons, Garden Rosettes, Garden Badges, Garden Medals, Garden Crosses, Garden Stars, Garden Crescents, Garden Moons, Garden Suns, Garden Planets, Garden Comets, Garden Meteors, Garden Stars, Garden Constellations, Garden Galaxies, Garden Nebulae, Garden Universes.

Tenders to be addressed to the new Board of Directors.

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Sec. pro tem.

Victoria, B. C., 3rd May, 1890. my14d

BOURCHIER, CROFT & MALLETTE, REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

VICTORIA CITY ELECTION

The Opposition Candidates.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
JOHN GRANT,
GEORGE L. MILNE,
FRANK G. RICHARDS, Jr.

PYGMALION AND GALATEA.

A Highly Successful Performance on Saturday Evening.

The above classical comedy, by W. S. Gilbert, admitted to be his master-piece, was produced at the Victoria Theatre on Saturday evening by Mr. Fred'k Adderly and his pupils for the benefit of the B. C. Orphans Home. The production, in every respect reflected credit on those, who in the short space of six weeks brought about this perfect performance.

Galatea, as reproduced by Miss Kathleen Brady, exceeded all expectations. She is without doubt one of the best amateurs ever seen in this city. Her performance of Galatea was marked with grace, innocence and a true ring of genuine talent. She is a pupil of which any master of elocution might well feel proud. Cynisca (Pygmalion's wife) represented by Miss Macauley, showed careful study and a thorough knowledge of this difficult role. She was dignified, passionate when required and her elocution was as near perfection as could be wished. Mr. Edgar Marvin realized as near as possible the author's idea of the purse proud Chrysos (a patron of art). This is a very difficult character and most comedians take a wrong view of the part by making Chrysos a buffoon. Mr. Marvin wisely steered clear of this and gave a genuinely humorous performance without being vulgar. Miss M. W. Perrens (Mrs. Adderley) as Daphne, or Chrysos' wife, enacted her part as a true artist only can. She was quiet and unobtrusive, realizing the vain woman of the world in a manner which elicited a large share of laughter and applause. Leucippe, the Athenian soldier, fell to the lot of Lieut. Chads. His clear enunciation, soldierly bearing and artistic performance generally stamp him as a very promising amateur. His fiancee, Myrene, was very carefully and intelligently represented by Miss McNaughton-Jones. A word of praise must not be omitted to Messrs. C. W. Rhodes and J. J. McKenery, who as the slaves of Agesimos and Mimos assisted to complete a good cast. Last but not least, Mr. Frank Adderley as Pygmalion, the sculptor, rendered with life-like impersonation the leading part in the comedy. He is at home, knows the value of the lines he has to speak and the emphasis necessary to cause the proper effect. In fact if it is said a more perfect amateur performance has not been seen in Victoria it expresses more than a column of superfluous praise. It must be remembered that in addition to playing his part he had the management and erection of the stage, which was a model of setting and the appointments correct.

The costumes were rich and tasteful, made from drawings after famous pictures, the ladies being executed by Victoria firms and the gentlemen's hired in San Francisco. Several baskets of flowers were handed to the ladies during the course of the evening.

The concluding comedy "Withered Leaves" was a pretty trifle and an excellent foil to the most serious piece-de-resistance. Miss Sadie Brady appeared as May Rivers and gave evidence of ability and great promise for better things in future. Miss Macaulay as Lady Conyers was perfectly at home, and, with Mr. Adderley, as Tom Conyers, was responsible for most of the laughter of the evening. The remaining parts were sustained by Lieut. Chads, J. J. McKenery and C. W. Rhodes, in a manner that left little to be desired.

The production on the whole was a great success for which Mr. Adderley has worked incessantly and a nice cheque will doubtless be handed to the treasurer of the Orphan's Home fund.

It may be stated that the performance will be repeated on Monday evening next for the benefit of the orphans of St. Ann's. Truly Mr. Adderley and his talented company are working for charity and deserve the thanks of the public.

The box office will be opened to-morrow (Tuesday) at Mr. C. A. Lombard's the courteous acting manager. All would do well to secure their seats in good time, many being disappointed on the last occasion.

Spring Salmon.

It is learned that the new cannery at Bute Inlet has had a considerable run of spring salmon. One of the parties interested, who was in the city a few days ago, reported that 800 cases were ready for shipment.

The Steamer Reported Ashore.

Capt. Meyers, of the Sardonyx, was somewhat surprised on arriving in port to see the news in the papers that the American steamer Cosmopolis was on a rock at Bella Bella. On the way up the Cosmopolis was seen lying at anchor at Bella Bella, but on the trip down she was gone, and although the Sardonyx called there nothing was heard about any steamer being ashore. Captain Meyers says the steamer may have been ashore as reported by the City of Topeka, but he does not think so.

More Overhauling.

The Chambers Court in the new law courts is now in the hands of a gang of carpenters, and is being completely remodelled. The roof is being lowered three feet, and considerable other work being done to do away with the awful echo which has since the opening of the building, been a source of much annoyance to the legal gentlemen who do business there. Several other rooms require to be tinkered up before they are suitable to the flights of forensic eloquence which are occasionally heard in the building.

Shaving outfits, pocket and table cutlery, scissors, etc., in large variety at M. & H. Fox, 78 Government street. *

Thermometer at Kellogg's.

Average temperature to-day 61.5

Church Notes.

Rev. G. M. Milligan, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit at St. Andrew's church to-morrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

West Kootenay.

The candidates nominated for West Kootenay are: Wm. M. Brown, Revelstoke; James M. Kellie, Revelstoke; A. S. Farwell, of Nelson and Victoria; and J. W. Haskins, of Revelstoke.

Clearance Sale.

For the next thirty days I will sell as follows:—$40 suits for $35, $35 suits for $30, $16 pants for $12, $14 pants for $10, $12 pants for $8. All garments in same proportion. J. McCallum, 43 Fort street. my19-1m

Coal Shipments.

Following are the foreign coal shipments from the different mines for the month ending May 31st, 1890:

New Vancouver Coal Co.	20,068
Dunsmuir & Sons	11,049
East Wellington Coal Co.	4,451
Union Colliery Co.	4,500
Total	40,070

Inland Revenue.

The Inland Revenue returns for the month of May have been balanced up and show the following receipts:

Spirits	$4,512 75
Malt	2,097 [illegible]
Tobacco	732 30
Cigars	1,258 85
Coal oil inspection	180 70
Total	$7,767 10

Special Card.

As the public have so generously contributed to the success of my great reduction sale, I am induced to continue it for one month longer on the same terms. Here are the most liberal prices ever offered in British Columbia or elsewhere: $10 pants for $7, $12 pants for $8, $14 pants for $10, $16 pants for $12, $30 suits for $25, $35 suits for $30, $40 suits for $35. All work guaranteed a perfect fit or no sale. J. McCallum, "The Famous Californian Tailor," 43 Fort street, Victoria, B. C. Prompt and careful attention to letter orders. Samples mailed. m29-1m

A Home-Made Property.

One of the properties on the stage when Pygmalion and Galatea was being performed, deserves mention, as it was made on very short notice. The property mentioned was the marble bust of Venus on which Pygmalion was at work. The graceful pose of the statue and its beautiful appearance was favorably commented on by many present, but few knew that the bust was made in the city by an amateur artist. Late Friday evening, Mr. A. E. Harris was asked to make a bust for Pygmalion's studio, and, although the time was short, he consented. A quantity of clay was procured from Foul Bay, and the artist commenced his work. By steady work he had the modelling complete late that night, and put the finishing touches on his work on Saturday. The blue clay was powdered over, and from the body of the house appeared to be a piece of well-finished sculpture, so neatly had Mr. Harris done his work. Probably the modelling and preparation of that part of the stage setting was the quickest ever done, and it was well done, too.

Mr. Horne Selects His Company.

The office of Premier is getting rather low when a man running for office finds it necessary to explain that he has not spoken much less associated with that functionary for three months. The following letter to the Vancouver World from the secretary of Mr. Horne's committee explains itself:

"The following paragraph which appeared in this morning's issue of the News-Advertiser is no doubt intended by the editor of that paper to place Mr. J. W. Horne in a wrong position before the electors of this city—

"'Hon. John Robson arrived here from Victoria yesterday. He paid a lengthy visit to Alderman Horne's committee rooms, and left for Langley by the Atlantic express. He will return here to-day, in order to be present at the nominations to-morrow.'

"In regard to the above I wish to state there was not the slightest grounds for such a statement. Mr. Robson did not visit Mr. Horne's committee rooms—to his knowledge—or interviewed the latter while in the city, in fact Mr. Horne has not spoken to the hon. gentleman for over three months."

Customs Returns.

Following are the total collections, imports and exports, for the month ending 31st May:

VICTORIA.		
Duties		$78,696 18
Chinese		567 00
Steamboat Inspection		151 88
Sick M. Fund		215 45
Fines and Seizures		40 00
Copyright		4 00
Petroleum Inspection		126 30
Animal Inspection		72 50
Total		$79,980 [illegible]
Total for 1889		72,208 [illegible]
Increase		$ 7,732 45
IMPORTS.		
Total Imports—Dutiable		$245,098 00
" " Free		80,822 00
Total		$325,910 00
EXPORTS.		
Exports—Produce of Canada		$73,690 00
" Not produce of Canada		4,211 00
Total		$77,901 00
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*Ask your grocer for a box of Pendray's Electric Soap, 20 bars for $1.

Take your spring suits to John T. Pierre to be cleaned and repaired. He makes it a specialty. 96 Yates St. *

ROBSONIANISM.

How the Premier Bribes—His View of Caucus.

The Premier, in a speech on the Mainland recently gave utterance to the following. We quote from the World, the Government organ:

"Has the Lower Fraser suffered materially for want of larger representation, either in money matters or in anything else, during the eight years I have been a member of the Government? The Lower Fraser has sent four representatives to Victoria. Three of these four have, for a great part of the time, been opposed to the Government; one—myself—has been a member of the Government. I need not explain how powerless a member of the Opposition is to work for the constituency, as compared with a member working in harmony with the Government. Here I may say that I wish to talk about matters affecting every man and woman. Some of you know there is what is called the caucus. None are allowed in there except supporters of the Government. It is there the Government measures are formulated. They are framed by the Executive and submitted to the caucus. The members there discuss all these matters. The opposing members cannot do that. It is as confidential as a Masonic lodge. It admits only the members who support the Government. The practical work, as everyone knows, is done in the caucus. The members of the Opposition are unable to alter the estimates. They are a Government measure and cannot be altered in the House after they are submitted by message from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. You see how powerless an Opposition member in this respect is, and the immense advantage a supporter of the Government enjoys. I now ask has the Lower Fraser suffered an injustice in any measure, save the Redistribution Bill? Has it not got its fair share of expenditures, of schools and everything else? If you had fourteen members in the House you could not have got more appropriations or justice."

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The Costa Rica put into Esquimalt yesterday.

Capt. Meyers took charge of the Sardonyx on her last trip north.

The City of Puebla arrived from San Francisco at 11 o'clock last night.

The City of Kingston brought over seven car loads of feed on her last trip.

The steamers Mystery, Bon Accord and Cunningham's boat are all being pushed to completion.

The wrecking steamer Whitelaw returned from Race Rocks last evening. She is now lying at Esquimalt.

The Rithet has had a new smoke stack put in position and will be ready for service in about two weeks.

On the trip to Tacoma hay laden, the Maude had a rough time and was forced to run for Friday harbor for shelter.

The Queen will arrive from the Sound this evening and leave for Alaska to-morrow morning with a large excursion party.

The steamer Costa Rica which is at present in Esquimalt awaiting orders as her charter with the Wellington coal company has expired.

The steamer Yosemite will leave at one o'clock to-morrow morning for Vancouver to take an excursion party from there up to Bute Inlet.

Messrs. Prevost and Dexter's quarry steamer the Mascotte which recently had her boilers burnt, has been handed over to the Albion Iron Works for repairs.

The steamer Maude arrived from Tacoma late Saturday night with a load of cast iron pipes for this city. The pipes were made in Hamilton, Ont., and shipped over the Northern Pacific.

The tug Active was towed down from Westminster this morning by the steamer Belle, to have her boilers which have been in the hands of the Albion Iron Works for the last two months, put in position.

Okanagan Ripples.

Crops throughout the valley are in splendid condition, owing in part to a considerable rainfall this month. The grass on the ranges is excellent. There was never such a large acreage of cultivated crops in the valley as there is this year.

Rev. P. F. Langill has been located between Vernon and Mission Valley. He resides in Vernon. The people of Mission Valley contemplate building a church in the near future.

Mr. Perry, C. E., is to be here to-morrow to locate the new railroad, S. & O. R. R., through the town of Vernon, and also to mark where the station will be. The new town lots just surveyed will shortly be put on the market. Vernon will undoubtedly be quite a town before it is many years older.

Charles A. Semlin has been visiting throughout the valley, feeling his way as to the likelihood of another Opposition candidate being elected in Yale district. He feels quite satisfied that another candidate besides himself would succeed in opposing Messrs. Martin and Vernon.

A public meeting is being held to-night in Lansdowne to ascertain if it would be wise to run another Government candidate. It is thought that Donald Graham or T. McK. Lambly may be induced to be a candidate.

Mr. Frank Barnard, M. P., is in town, no doubt to use his political influence in the coming election.

Messrs. Semlin, Vernon and Martin are expected after nomination to make speeches throughout the valley.

A lively time is expected, and your correspondent would not wonder in the least if the Opposition gained one seat in Yale district.

Vernon, May 28, 1890.

More Earthquakes.

A few days before the Sardonyx reached Queen Charlotte Islands on her last trip a recurrence of the earthquakes similar to those in April took place. When the Sardonyx arrived the Indians were camped out being afraid to live in their houses.

Port Crescent.

The Port Crescent Star, a 28-column weekly newspaper, has been received. Port Crescent is the new city in Washington, opposite Victoria, on the line of the projected Victoria, Port Crescent & Chehalis Railway. The fact that a newspaper has made its appearance is evidence that the town has already made considerable progress.

The Contented Man, Who is He.

A lecture on the above subject will be delivered in the school rooms of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church *to-night* (not on Wednesday as stated in a contemporary by the Rev. G. M. Milligan of St. Andrew's, Toronto. Mr. Milligan is a lecturer of well-known ability in the eastern provinces.

Light for Vancouver.

Work on the street railway at Vancouver is progressing briskly, and a start will be made about the 10th of June. One hundred and fifty 2000 candle power Thomson-Huston are lights are being put up by the company for city lighting, and will soon be started up. Vancouver will then be well lighted, much to the satisfaction of her citizens.

A new Firm.

Mr. A. J. Weaver Bridgman is the new member in the firm of A. W. Jones & Bridgman, real estate and insurance agents.

Mr. A. W. Jones has conducted the business for a number of years, while Mr. Bridgman, who is an English solicitor has heretofore been in the well-known real estate office of Messrs. Allsop & Mason.

Their announcement and business card appears in another column.

A Dangerous Flue.

Chief Engineer Deasy this afternoon notified the occupant of a small wooden building off Langley street to remove a dangerous stove pipe. The pipe, leading direct from a stove, was projecting through the roof but a few inches, with no tin between it and the shingles. A hot, dry day, with this dangerous pipe, would have formed a combination out of which a first-class fire could have been manufactured, as the building stands just between two sawmills and is backed by a lumber pile.

Dramatic and Literary.

Mr. Edgar Marvin, jr., leaves this evening for Tacoma on a visit to Mme. Rhea. He returns in time to play Chrysos on Monday evening next, when the performance of Pygmalion and Galatea will be repeated.

Mr. and Mrs. Adderly will go up to Nanoose Bay on Wednesday on a short vacation. After such heavy performances as Ermine and Pygmalion and Galatea he feels a few days rest necessary.

Miss Elsie Thorpe, the popular novelist, left for Wellington this morning. She has been stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Adderley for a few days. She is completing a book on "My First Experience of Victoria."

INTERIOR ITEMS.

News of the Great Interior Clipped From the Kootenay Star.

A Brotherhood of Trainmen has been organized at Donald with a goodly membership.

The Summit mine in the Metaline district was sold a few days since for $1000.

A telegraph line is soon to be constructed between Revelstoke and Nelson, a truly much needed work.

Engineer Preston, who has been out three weeks surveying a route between Bonner's Ferry and the Spokane Falls, is running a line up the Little Spokane River and northeast up Priest River, crossing the Pen-d'Oreille River on the Island of Little Falls.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Public Works Act has come in o force at Sproat, one experiences no difficulty in obtaining liquor, which is sold without any effort at concealment. Drinks are numerous and robberies are of frequent occurrence. The three officers which the Government intends sending will have their hands full.

Five men who started out last week to reach the Little Dalles are reported to have been drowned. All went well until the Sheep Creek rapids were reached, when the raft went to pieces on the rocks and all hands went down. A man known as Charles Ross, well known at Sproat, was among the number who found a watery grave.

While the engineer's staff was camped about 15 miles below Sproat, a slide came on there suddenly and carried away their whole outfit of instruments, etc. Strange to say the slide revealed two good leads, one of silver, and another of gold.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—A J Mould, C A Holland, F Evans, E S Bodwell, C C Brown, J Dougall jr, Jas Hall, A Clark, H S Mason, D Cartmel, W A Russell, J Herren, J T O'Brien, A Cameron, Mrs Willis, G G Gwinn, F X Martin, J W Quick, J Dougall sr, P Arnold.

Per steamer Sardonyx from the North—R H Hall, S A Spencer, Capt Fitzstubbs, Mrs Wollacott, Archie McGowan, Alex McNeill, Ah Sing, F Devereaux, I McCrossan, W Emmett, [illegible] Alfred Nelson, [illegible] Nelson, H Redgrave.

CONSIGNEES.

Per the steamer [illegible] from Vancouver—[illegible] Company.

Per steamer Sardonyx from the North—H B Co, R Horton, Miss Woods, Lottie Gordon, W C Anderson, Alfred Nelson, Henry Short, Lenz & Leiser, Maria Wilson, J & A Clearihue, A J McLellan, Findlay D & Brodie, R H Hall, Samuel G Harrison, Donald McKay, Tolmie & Stewart, Louisa Ryan, Spratt & Gray, Mr Jacques, Boscowitz & Sons, J Pierce & Co, M P Turner & Co, Susan, Mary Wilson.

Never Here Before.

Some of the most unique designs in spring cloth, for gentlemen's wear. New line of spring suitings, displayed for first time in Victoria by Campbell & Simpkins, the fashionable Government street Tailors. *

Nicola Notes.

A petition is going around to prevent Dr. Chipp getting the $500 granted the valley for a resident doctor.

Crops are looking well. Fall rye will be ready to cut for fodder in a week. Fall wheat is the only crop that will not be up to the average. Timothy and grasses promise a big yield.

Mining shows no sign of activity. White men are leaving. It will soon be a China camp.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

Contracts made for supplying families with ice at reasonable rates by the British Columbia Ice Co. Telephone call 81, office 29 Yates street. 7-5-1m.

There is no such stove polish as the "Nonesuch." Only 20 cents per bottle. Ask your grocer for it, or at Geo. Phillips', No. 152 Government street. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE THIS day admitted Mr. A. J. W. Bridgman into partnership and the business hitherto carried on in my name, will, in future, be under the firm name of

A. W. JONES & BRIDGMAN,

At 36 Government street.

31st May, 1890. A. W. JONES. jel-1m

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IN ORDER OF INTRODUCING MY IMproved sets of teeth, I will make a reduction of one third of cost for thirty days only beginning June 1st. They must be seen to be appreciated, as to looks and quality they cannot be excelled. They will not drop while eating or speaking. Inspect sample set and see testimonials from those wearing them. Remember you will not have this chance again after June 30th.

None but skillful operations performed.

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ELECTION CARDS.

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF THE—

City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:

I am a candidate for the representation of the City of Victoria in the Legislative Assembly, as an independent supporter of the present Government, and I respectfully ask for your votes at the general election.

Faithfully yours,

CHARLES WILSON.

Victoria, 10th May, 1890. my11

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been selected by those opposed to the present local government as one of four to contest the ensuing general election in their interest, I beg to announce myself as a Candidate at the forthcoming election in opposition to the government, and trust you may favor me with your votes and support.

I shall shortly take the opportunity of placing my views on public matters before you.

Yours respectfully,

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

Victoria, B. C., May 12th, 1890. my12-1m

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

Victoria City.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been solicited to stand as a candidate at the approaching Election for the Local Legislature, I have consented to do so, and solicit your vote and support.

I hope to have the pleasure of addressing you at as early a date as possible, when I shall place my views before you.

Yours respectfully,

G. L. MILNE.

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TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

Esquimalt District.

GENTLEMEN:

At the earnest solicitation of numerous friends I have decided to offer myself as a candidate to represent your District in the Legislative Assembly and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

At an early date I shall ask you to meet me in order to enable me to place my views before you upon the political issues.

H. HELGESEN.

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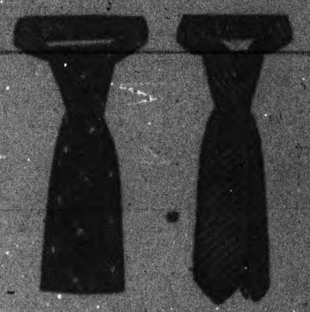

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A CARD OF THANKS.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE B. C. BENEVOlent Society, beg to tender their sincere thanks to the Victoria Operatic Society for the sum of $302.85, net proceeds of the "Ermine" benefit performance, and for the great pains taken by all the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the production of the opera with such complete success. W. H. MASON,

je2-1w Sec-Treas. B. C. B. Soc'y.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING

OF THE

Registered Householders and Freeholders of

VICTORIA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

WILL BE HELD

On Monday, 9th day of June, 1890,

AT THE CITY HALL

Commencing at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

By order of Board of Trustees.

my31-td R. WOLFENDEN, Secretary.

AUCTION SALE.

I am instructed by J. Boscowitz, Esq., to sell by public auction at his residence, Pandora street on

Tuesday, June 3rd.

AT 11 A. M.

1 Landau by Hooper & Co., of London.
1 Ralli Cart "
1 Express Wagon with pole.
1 Double Set Brass mounted Harness.
1 Single Set " "
1 " " Silver " "
1 Lady's Side Saddle, 3 Bridles, Whips, Rugs, Macintoshes, etc., 1 Pony.

Vehicles, etc., can be seen between 11 and 1, and from 3 to 5 daily upon application at the house.

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my27-td Auctioneer.

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